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DER Official, Farmers Air Conservation Issues

For awhile on Wednesday night, it seemed that Afton Schadel would have to take the blame for all the failings, past, present and future of the American form of government. Schadel is part-owner of a Schuylkill County farm, works full-time for the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources, and heads up DER's erosion and sedimentation control program.

Schadel was at the Hinkletown Atlernative School in eastern Lancaster County to discuss the Pennsylvania Clean Streams Law with an adult farmer group. "The state should get its own house in order before telling us farmers what to do," Schadel was told by B. C. Brubaker, a campground owner from the northwestern part of the county. Brubaker railed about erosion gullies around state higheays, about the salt the PennDOT puts on highways in the winter. He told Schadel the state had forced him to take down the billboard that advertised his business. He decried the loss of personal liberties, said state game lands were unconstitutional and said there was too much tampering with the U.S. Constitution.

Schadel rather good-naturedly parried Brubaker's charges, until Aaron Stauffer, chairman of the Lancaster County Conservation District stood up to tell the group that Schadel was a farmer as well as a government employee probably the most highly respected conservationist in the state. "We're very fortunate to have a man like Afton Schadel looking out for the farmer's interests," Stauffer said. "We could just as easily have gotten somebody in his spot that knows nothing about conservation and the farmer's problems. I think we should hear what he has to say about the Clean Streams Law."

The Clean Streams Law, Schadel explained, was written to protect the waters of the state from all kinds of pollutants, including soil. In 1972, the Department of Environmental Resources, which operates under the Clean Streams Law, adopted rules and regulations to prevent erosion from farmlands. The regulations said that by July 1, 1977, all farmers woul have to have a conservation plan to keep their soil out of streams, and they would also have to have installed the conservation practices their plans called for.

In the past few weeks, though, it's become apparent that the 1977 deadline will be pushed back. But Schadel pointed out that there will still be a need to control sedimentation.

"Farmland accounts for about 50 percent of the sedimentation in Pennsylvania streams," Schadel told the group. "We might lose less from an acre of

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Mike and Shirley Wright, New Freedom, have one of the biggest crop farm operations in Pennsylvania. The 23-year-old Wright plants corn, small grains and vegetables on 2500 York County acres. The Wrights are shown here with some of the grain storage facilities that are an important part of the operation.

Young York Countian Farms 2500 Acres

At the ripe old age of 23, Michael Wright, New Freedom, is one of Pennsylvania's biggest farmers. Wright farms close to 2500 acres of York County farmland, and does so on a scale that's usually associated with the American Midwest.

Last year Wright farmed 1300 acres of corn, but this year plans to cut back to 900 to 1000, he told Lancaster Farming this week, because the price doesn't look quite as good as it did. He'll also plant 500 acres of green peas which will be followed with limas, 370 acres of barley, 300 acres of wheat, and another 200 to 300 acres of soybeans.

Wright and his wife, Shirley, own the 96-acre home farm which has been in the family for several generations. But, like a great many of his Midwestern counterparts, he rents most of the land he farms. However, where Cornbelt land might rent for $90 to $100 an acre, Wright pays an average $20 to $30, and until recently had been paying $15 for some land.

When he graduated from Spring Grove High School in 1969, Wright had already been farming 700 acres during summer vacation. And he did it mostly on his own. Wright's father is a full-time York County contractor, although he did run the family farm for awhile after Mike's grandmother died.

Machinery, of course, is an important element in big farming. Wright has a combine, three tractors, a 4-wheel drive Steiger and a grain truck, all of which are

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100 Attend First Mini-Farm Meet

About 100 people showed up last Friday night for the first meeting of the Lancaster County Mini-Farmers Cooperative. They came to the conference room of the Lancaster Coca Cola Bottling Plant on the Manheim Pike to discuss the pleasurers and the problems of mini-farming. The get together was the outgrowth of a series of meetings held largely in the living room of Kathy and Eckert Erb, owners of a 30-acre mini-farm at Millersville R1.

Eckert is serving as president of the newly formed group, Kathy is the secretary, Ed Moshier, Lititz R3 is first vice-president, Park Wiker, Holtwood, is second vice-president, and Eugene Degenhardt, Lancaster R6, is the treasurer.

Erb began the evening by telling the audience that they were very likely attending the first meeting of its kind in the country. And adding, "We all need direction, all need help. Maybe together we can find out what we have to do to make our mini-farms successful."

Erb defined a mini-farmer for the group as anyone with two or more acres who was farming for a hobby, not necessarily for profit.

Rod Houser, a Lancaster R6 mini-farmer, was

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Lebanon 4-H Agent Appointed

4-Hers and farm youth in the Lebanon County area will soon be getting advice from Patricia Krall, the newly appointed Assistant Extension Agent - Youth in that county.

Miss Krall, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Krall, Lebanon R1, will be responsible for

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Patricia Krall

Gary Brubaker

Will Head Baby Beef Club

by: Melissa Piper

Although this will be the first year, Gary Brubaker has served as president of the Lancaster County 4-H Baby Beef Club, the young man is by no means new to either the beef industry or the 4-H program.

Gary, who resides with his parents at 345 Running Pump Road, Lancaster, has been a 4-H member for the past eight years taking steer projects while helping on his parent's farm.

Gary has many qualities which should aid him in his duties, with his knowledge of the beef industry being one of the foremost. The young man has shown his beef at the 4-H District shows as well as exhibiting the reserve champion at the Lampeter Fair and at the Farm Show.

Gary has become well known to many Lancaster 4-Hers as he is always giving his time at shows to offer advice and demonstrate the techniques of fitting and

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Gary Brubaker, 345 Running Pump Rd., Lancaster was recently elected president of the Red Rose Baby Beef Club. Brubaker helps to manage his father's farm near Rohrerstown.

Local Livestock Market, Auction News

Lancaster Market

Monday, March 24

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	737	148	845	1273
Last Monday	1267	174	578	246
Last Year	1140	131	820	150
Mond.'s Auction	705	158	742	1482
Last Mon.'s Auc.	928	204	603	258

CATTLE: Compared to last Wednesday slaughter steers 1.00-2.00 higher; cows 1.00-1.50 higher; bullocks 50-1.00 higher; bulls 1.00-2.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 1075-1325 lb. 39.00-40.35, including 40 head string averaging 40.02; Choice 950-1375 lb. 37.00-39.85, most sales 38.00-39.85; high Good and low Choice 36.00-37.75; Good 32.50-37.35; Standard 30.50-31.75.

COWS: Utility and high dressing Cutter 22.50-24.00, few 24.00-24.50; Cutter 21.50-23.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 950-1325 lb. 30.25-32.50, few 32.85-34.00; Good 27.00-30.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1800 lb. 29.00-30.85, few 31.50-33.00; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 25.00-28.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady, although Choice and Prime were scarce.

VEALERS: Prime 68.00-70.00; Choice 52.00-61.00; Good to low Choice 45.00-55.00; Good 34.00-43.00; Standard and Good 110-130 lb. 24.00-33.00; Standard 85-105 lb. 17.00-22.00.

SHEEP: Supply mainly 20-60 lb. spring lambs sold to the Easter trade. Demand good for Choice 20-40 lb. Demand only fair for Good 20-40 lb. and all weights over 40 lb. Slaughter ewes fully steady.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice 20-30 lb. 95.00-112.00; Good 18-25 lb. 55.00-75.00; Choice 30-40 lb. 80.00-90.00, Good 30-40 lb. 70.00-80.00; Choice 40-60 lb. 60.00-70.00, Good 45.00-55.00; Choice 60-75 lb. 55.00-65 00, Good 40.00-50.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 10.00-14.50, few 16.00.

Vintage Auction

Tuesday, March 25

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
Today	998	506	1246	188
Last Tuesday	926	567	692	255
Last Year	933	505	240	

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers 1.50-2.00, instances 2.25 higher; cows 1.00-2.00 higher; bullocks scarce; bulls mostly steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few high Choice and Prime 1125-1325 lb. 40.75-41.35; Choice 950-1325 lb. 38.50-41.00, few 41.00-41.85, eight head 42.10-42.85; high Good and low Choice 37.00-39.00; Good 34.00-36.60, few 32.75-34 00; Standard 27.50-32.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Choice 800-950 lb. 32.00-33.00; Good 27.50-31.00.

COWS: Utility and high dressing Cutter 22.75-23.50, few 23.75-24.75, couple 25.00-25.25; Cutter 21.00-22.75; Canner and low Cutter 19.00-20.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1800 lb. 26.50-28.85, few 29.00-30.60; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 24.80-26.50.

VEAL CALVES: Good and Choice vealers mostly steady, Standard 1.00-2.00 lower.

VEALERS Few Choice 49.00-55.00; Good to low Choice 42.00-48.00; Good 34.00-43.00; Standard and Good 110-135 lb. 22.00-30.00; Standard 85-105 lb. 16.00-20.00, 65-80 lb. 12.00-17.50.

SHEEP: Supply mainly 20-65 lb. spring lambs sold to the Easter trade. Demand only fair with best demand for Choice 20-35 lb. slaughter ewes 1.00-2.00 lower.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice 20-35 lb. 85.00-97.00, few 97.50-100.00; Choice 35-45 lb. 70.00-85.00; Good 25-45 lb. 55.00-77.50; Good and Choice 45-65 lb. 45.00-60.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 8.00-13.00.

GOATS: Bulk 10-35 lb. sold by the head at 8.00-16.00, few 18.00-22.00 with couple 24.00-27.00.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, March 26

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	717	124	681	429
Last Wednesday	972	81	837	177
Last Year	465	71	657	34
Wed.'s Auction	739	128	741	373
Last Wed.'s Auc.	705	87	893	177

CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers uneven, high Choice and Prime steady, Standard to average Choice 50-75 lower; cows fully steady; bullocks steady; bulls 1.00-2.00 lower.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 1050-1300 lb. 39.50-40.50; Choice 950-1300 lb. 36.85-39.50; high Good and low Choice 35.60-37.75; Good 32.75-36.75; Standard 950-1325 lb. 26.35-32.00; part load 1510-1570 lb. Utility Holsteins 24.85-25.85.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good 800-950 lb. 27.25-30.10; Couple Choice 37.25.

COWS. Utility and high dressing Cutter 22.25-24.25, few 24.25-24.85, couple 25.60-26.00; Cutter 21.00-23.25; Canner and low Cutter 19.50-20.60.

BULLOCKS: Choice 950-1325 lb. 31.25-33.85, few 34.35-35.75; Good 26.00-31.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1800 lb. 26.00-29.00, couple 29.75-30.85; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 24.25-27.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady.

VEALERS: Few Choice 52.00-60.00; Good to low Choice 40.00-48.00; Good 31.00-40.00; Standard and Good 110-130 lb. 22.00-30.00; Standard 85-105 lb. 16.00-20.00.

SHEEP: Supply mainly 25-60 lb. spring lambs sold to the Easter trade; slaughter ewes steady.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice 20-35 lb. 52.00-60.00; Good 20-40 lb. 45.00-52.00; Choice 35-55 lb. 45.00-52.00; Choice 50-80 lb. 38.00-45.00; Good 40-75 lb. 30.00-40.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 10.00-14.00.

New Holland Auction

Thursday, March 27

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
Today	828	336	80	10
Last Thursday	1147	448	359	43
Last Year	944	413	143	

CATTLE: Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers 1-1.50 higher, instances 2.00 higher; cows steady to 50 higher; bullocks 1.00 higher, instances 2.00 higher on Choice; bulls mostly steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 1075-1300 lb. 39.50-41.00; Choice 950-1325 lb. 36.75-39.50, few 39.50-40.50; high Good and low Choice 34.50-36.75; Good 32.00-36.00; Standard 26.75-32.00.

COWS: Utility and high dressing Cutter 22.00-24.50, few 24.50-25.50; Cutter 20.50-23.00; Canner and low Cutter 18.50-20.60.

BULLOCKS: Choice 950-1350 lb. 31.00-33.00, few 33.25-34.25; Good 28.00-31.25.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1800 lb. 26.00-28.50, couple 29.00-29.50; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 24.75-26.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers fully steady although Standard 1-2.00 lower.

VEALERS: Choice 52.00-60.00, few Prime 68.00-74.00; Good to low Choice 42.00-52.00; Good 32.00-40.00; Standard and Good 110-135 lb. 20.00-30.00; Standard 85-105 lb. 13.00-18.00, 65-80 lb. 10.00-14.00.

SHEEP: Supply mainly 20-65 lb. spring slaughter lambs.

SPRING LAMBS: Bulk Good 20-65 lb. 28.00-37100, few Choice 30-65 lb. 39.00-40.50.

GOATS: Few 30-45 lb. sold by the head at 9.50-15.50.

Composite Report

Friday, March 28

	Cattle	Calves
This Week	3600	1125
Last Week	5127	1282
Last Year	3246	1189

CATTLE: Slaughter steers 1.00-1.50 higher, extremes 2.25 higher; cows 50 higher than last week's close; bullocks 50-1.00 higher, instances 2.00 higher; bulls steady after Monday's sales being 2.00 higher. Supply included an estimated 45 per cent slaughter steers, 30 per cent cows, 8 per cent bulls with the balance mainly feeder steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 1075-1300 lb. 39.50-41.35; Choice 950-1350 lb. 36.75-40.00 with sales on Tuesday 40.00-41.00 with around 50 head 41.25-42.85; high Good and low Choice 34.50-37.75; Good 32.00-37.00; Standard 26.35-32.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good 800-950 lb. 27.35-31.00; few Choice 32.00-33.00, couple head 37.25.

COWS: Utility and high dressing Cutter 22.00-24.50, few 24.50-26.00; Cutter 20.50-23.25; Canner and low Cutter 18.50-20.60.

BULLOCKS: Choice 950-1350 lb. 31.00-33.75, few 34.00-35.75; Good 26.00-31.25.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1800 lb. 26.00-29.00, several on Monday 30.00-33.00; yield grade 2 1000-1300 lb. 24.25-27.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady, although Standard 1.00-2.00 lower.

VEALERS: Prime 68.00-74.00; Choice 52.00-61.00; Good to low Choice 42.00-52.00; Good 32.00-41.00; Standard and Good 110-135 lb. 20.00-30.00; Standard 85-105 lb. 13.00-18 00, few early part of week to 20.00, 65-85 lb. 10.00-15.00.

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Lebanon Valley Livestock

Fredericksburg, PA
March 25, 1975

CATTLE 350. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers grading Standard & Good 75c to $1.25 higher. Slaughter cows 50c to $1.50 higher. Slaughter bullocks grading Good 25c to $1 higher. Slaughter bulls $2 higher. Few Choice slaughter steers 37.50-40.60, Good 32.75-37.00, Standard 28.00-31.75, Utility 23.10-26.50. Few Choice slaughter heifers 34.10-36.00, few Standard 27.35-28.10. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 22.00-25.00, Cutters 21.25-22.50, Canners 19.00-21.00, Shells down to 17.50. One Choice slaughter bullock at 32.85, Good 28.85-31.50, couple to 32.25, few Standard 27.00-28.00. Yield Grade No. 1 1100-1800 lbs slaughter bulls 28.00-31.25.

CALVES 210. Vealers grading Utility & Standard about steady. Few Choice 47.00-52.00, Good 40.00-47.00, Standard 30.00-37.00, Utility 90-120 lbs. 17.00-26.50, 70-85 lbs. 15.00-17.50. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 20.00-33.50.

SHEEP 83. Choice 20-35 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 95.00-105.00, 40-60 lbs. 50.00-72.00; 70-100 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 36.00-41.00. Slaughter ewes 9.00-15.00.

Extension Association Reelects Officers

The Lancaster County Extension Association board of directors held their annual meeting on Tuesday at Lancaster's Sherwood Knoll Restaurant. All four encumbent officers were reelected.

President of the organization is J. Mark Bushong, Columbia R2. Ellis R. Denlinger, Gordonville R1 is vice-president, Mrs. Grace Rodman, Columbia R1, is secretary, and Raymond Stoner, Eden Rd., Lancaster, is treasurer.

The board meets the fourth Tuesday of every other month, at 8:00 p.m. at the Lancaster County Farm and Home Center. The next meeting will be held May 23.

HAY MARKETS

Paul Z. Martin

Wednesday, March 26

102 Loads hay & straw sold as follows:

Alfalfa 73 to 97; Mixed Hay 43 to 90; Timothy 49, 52 and 76; 1 load Clover 75; Straw 40 & 48; Corn 67.50 and 69.00; 1 load Molding Corn 41; Rye Seed 2.00 per bushel.

New Holland

March 24, 1975

Prices per ton: 57 loads hay & 19 loads straw.

Alfalfa 66.00-94.00, few 48.00-56.00; Timothy, few loads 60.00-81.00; Mixed hay 65.00-85.00, one at 90.00; Straw 41.00-47.00, one at 35.00; Corn, 6 loads 52.00-70.00; Clover, one load at 80.00; Reed Canary Grass, one load 97.00.

Regional

(All hay No. 2 and better, prices paid by dealers at the farm, price per ton.)

Hay & Straw steady.

Alfalfa 65.00-70.00, few to 80.00; Mixed hay 45.00-55.00; Timothy hay 35.00-45.00; Straw 30.00-35.00; Mulch 20.00-35.00

Green Dragon

March 21, 1975

Prices per ton: 91 loads hay & 45 loads straw.

Alfalfa 80.00-98.00, one 105.00, few 61.00-73.00; Timothy 50.00-69.00, one 77.00; Mixed hay 50.00-83.00, one 93.00; Clover, few loads 58.00-80.00; Straw 41.00-50.00; Corn, 12 loads 65.00-71.00, couple 52.50 and 59.00; Corn Screenings, one load 72.00; Rye Seed, $1.80 per bushel; Clover Seed, $41.00 per bushel; Timothy Seed, $22.50 per bushel.

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HOG PRICES

Lancaster Market

March 24, 1975

HOGS: Barrows and gilts 50 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1 210-235 lb. 42.00; US 1-2 200-240 lb. 41.00-41.35; US 2-3 200-235 lb. 40.50-40.85; 235-250 lb. 40.00-40.50.

Vintage Auction

March 22, 1975

HOGS 808: Compared with last Saturday's market. Barrows & Gilts mostly 25 cents lower. US No. 1-2 200-230 lbs. 41.60-42.00, No. 1-3 200-235 lbs. 40.75-41.50, No. 2-3 195-255 lbs. 39.75-40.75, few No. 2-4 265-310 lbs. 37.75-38.50, No. 2-4 160-190 lbs. 30.00-36.00, few down to 25.00. US No. 1-3 320-650 lbs. sows 32.00-37.25. Boars: 31.25-31.75, one light weight at 35.00.

March 26, 1975

HOGS 525: Compared with last Wednesday's market. Barrows & Gilts uneven to 25 cents higher. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 40.75-41.50, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 40.25-40.75. US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. sows 33.00-36.50. Boars: One at 31.85.

Lancaster Auction

March 26, 1975

HOGS: Barrows and gilts 25-50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-240 lb. 40.60-40.85; Few US 1 210-235 lb. 41.50; US 2-3 200-240 lb. 40.25-40.60; US 3-4 240-260 lb. 39.00-40.00; 260-275 lb. 38.00-39.00.

St. Louis Auction

March 27, 1975

HOGS: 4000.

Barrows and gilts rather slow, steady to 25 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-3 200-240 lb. 39.75-40.25; liberal volume 40.00; 240-250 lb. 39.00-39.75.

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New Holland Auction

March 24, 1975

HOGS 1400: Compared with last Monday's market. Barrows & Gilts mostly 75c lower. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 41.00-42.00, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 40.50-41.00, No. 2-3 230-280 lbs. 39.75-40.50, No. 2-4 160-190 lbs. 39.00-40.50. US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. sows 32.00-37.00. Boars 28.00-38.00.

Leb. Valley Auction

March 25, 1975

HOGS 280. Barrows & Gilts $1 higher. US No. 1-3 200-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 41.35-41.75, No. 2-3 190-235 lbs. 39.35-41.35, No. 2-4 175-185 lbs. 37.60-38.85. US No. 1-3 325-500 lbs. sows 33.50-35.50. Few Boars 25.25-26.50.

FEEDER PIGS 38. Few Lots Utility 20-40 lbs. feeder pigs 13.50-18.00 per head, one lot Utility 60 lbs. 29.50 per head.

Peoria Auction

March 27, 1975

HOGS: 2500.

Barrows and gilts active, mostly steady.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-3 200-250 lb. 40.00-40.50; 36 Head US 1 40.75; US 2-3 240-260 lb. 39.50-40.00; Few 260-300 lb. 38.50-39.50.

EVERY FRIDAY
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Indianapolis Auction

March 27, 1975

HOGS: 1500.

Barrows and gilts moderately active, steady to weak, instances 25 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-240 lb. 40.50-40.75; US 1-3 200-250 lb. 40.00-40.50.

Local Grain

Thursday, March 27

These prices are made up of the average prices quoted by a number of participating local feed and grain concerns. It should be noted, however, that not every dealer or broker handles each commodity. All prices are per bushel except ear corn which is per ton.

The average local grain prices quoted Thursday, March 27, 1975 are as follows:

	Bid+	Offered+
Ear Corn	61.33	68.00
Shelled Corn	2.98	3.16
Oats		
Local	1.70	1.94
Western	——	2.16
Barley	2.23	2.44
Wheat		
Millers	3.35	——
Feed	2.20	2.42

+Bid is the price the dealer will buy from the farmer delivered to the mill. Offered is the price the dealer will sell for at his mill.

Chambersburg Livestock

Chambersburg, PA
March 20, 1975

CATTLE 325. Compared with last Thursday's market, slaughter steers grading Standard and Good weak to 75c lower. Slaughter cows 25c to 50c higher. Few Choice slaughter steers 35.25-36.85, Good 31.00-34.85, Standard 27.25-30.50, Utility 21.85-25.00. Couple Choice slaughter heifers 31.35 and 33.25. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 21.25-23.60, Cutters 20.25-22.10, Canners 18.50-20.50. Few Good slaughter bullocks 26.85-30.75, Standard 25.00-26.50, few Utility 23.10-25.00. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1400-1850 lbs. slaughter bulls 26.25-27.85.

CALVES 322. Vealers 50c to $4 lower. Few Prime vealers 58.50-75.00, Choice 50.00-61.00, Good 40.00-51.00, Standard 28.00-37.00, Utility 90-115 lbs. 17.50-27.00, 70-85 lbs. 15.00-18.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 21.00-38.00.

HOGS 139. Barrows and gilts $1 lower. US No. 1-3 200-230 lbs. barrows & gilts 39.75-40.50. US No. 1-3 300-475 lbs. sows 35.50-39.50.

FEEDER PIGS 25. Few Lots US No. 1-3 50-65 lbs. feeder pigs 27.50-32.50 per head.

SHEEP 481. Choice 20-40 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 82.00-97.00, one large lot 105.00, 40-50 lbs. 65.00-85.00, 55-80 lbs. 46.00-60.00, Good 50-75 lbs. 40.00-48.00, Utility 60-85 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 30.00-36.00. Slaughter ewes 14.00-20.50.

GOATS KIDS: 6.00-36.00 per head.

Futures Trading

(Closing bids as of Thursday, March 29)

	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes	Chicago Fresh Eggs
April	41.22	42.05	2.55	38.90
May			3.14	39.45
June	41.65	45.60		41.50
July		46.35		
August	39.87			
September				50.45
October	39.00	44.75		
November			4.40	
December	39.10	45.15		

Trend — Cattle are Lower, Hogs are Lower, Potatoes are Stronger, and Eggs are Lower.

Markets Provided by Commodity Department
Reynolds Securities, Inc.

Chicago Grain Futures

(Closing bids as of Thursday, March 29)

	Corn	Wheat	Soybeans	Soybean Meal
May	2.95	3.74½	5.95	127.50
July	2.94	3.61	5.97	131.50
September	2.84	3.67	5.91	138.00
October				138.50
November			5.85	
December	2.68	3.77		140.00
January '76			5.90	

Trend — Corn is Lower, Wheat is Lower, Soybeans are Lower, and Soybean Meal is Lower.

Markets Provided by Commodity Department
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U. S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter Under Federal Inspection for first four days

	CATTLE	HOGS	SHEEP
This Week	497,000	1,151,000	122,000
Last Week	516,000	1,081,000	128,000
Last Year	464,000	1,275,000	143,000

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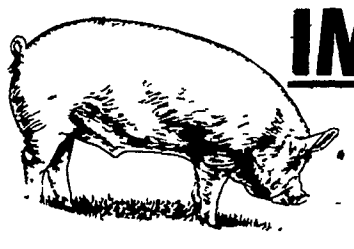

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Poultry Market Reports

WEEKLY NEW YORK EGG MARKET

Monday, March 24 to Thursday, March 27

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex. Large	64	64	64	59	H
Large	63	63	63	58	O
Mediums	57	57	57	52	L
Pullets	39	39	39	39	I
Peewees	27	27	27	27	D
					A
BROWN					Y
Large	66	63	63	60	
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				
Off Grade					
Large	53	53	53	50	
Checks	30	29	29	29	

Tone — Some Late Easter Buying, Wholesale Weak.

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NEW ENGLAND WEEKLY SHELL EGG REPORT

Tuesday, March 25, 1975

Prices paid per dozen Grade "A" brown eggs in cartons delivered to retail stores:

	EX LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
MASS+	71-79	68-77	61-71	37-46
Mostly	72-74	69-71	62-64	38-40
NEW HAMP	69-76	66-73	59-66	33-40
Mostly	71-72	68-69	61-62	35-36
R. I.	75-76	72-73	65-66	39-40
VERMONT	73-81	70-78	63-72	
Mostly	73-79	70-77	63-69	
MAINE	73-75	70-72	63-65	37-39

+Includes Central & Western Sections Only.

Leesport Livestock

Leesport, PA
March 26, 1975

CATTLE 395. Supply included 208 head feeder cattle. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers 25c to 50c higher, spots $1 higher. Slaughter cows mostly 75c to $1.50 higher. Few Choice slaughter steers 39.00-40.50, Good 33.00-38.60, Standard 28.00-33.60. Good slaughter heifers 30.00-32.50, Standard 26.00-28.60. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 22.00-25.00, Cutters 21.00-22.85, Canners 18.00-21.25, Shells down to 16.10. One Choice slaughter bullock at 33.25, Good 28.00-32.25, Standard 24.35-27.25, couple Utility 23.10 and 23.60. Few Yield Grade No. 1 1200-1740 lbs. slaughter bulls 26.00-27.85; few yield grade No. 2 930-1360 lbs. 25.35-26.25. Good & Choice 300-680 lbs. feeder steers 30.50-33.00, Medium & Good 285-850 lbs. 24.00-27.00; Good 300-600 lbs. feeder heifers 22.00-27.00, Medium 300-500 lbs. 19.75-23.50; Good 300-550 lbs. feeder bulls 28.00-33.00, Medium & Good 300-700 lbs. 19.00-25.50.

CALVES 138. Vealers steady to $2 lower. Few Good & Choice vealers 50.00-52.00, Good 44.00-50.00, Standard 30.00-40.00, Utility 110-130 lbs. 21.00-30.00, 90-110 lbs. 17.00-21.00, 70-85 lbs. 12.00-16.50. Farm calves, holstein bulls 80-110 lbs. 18.00-27.00; holstein heifers 90-110. lbs. 18.00-26.00; beef cross bulls & heifers 80-110 lbs. 17.50-32.00.

HOGS 314. Barrows & Gilts strong to 25c higher. Few US No. 1-2 210-230 lbs. barrows & gilts 41.60-41.75, No. 1-3 190-245 lbs. 40.10-41.10, No. 2-3 180-250 lbs. 39.00-40.35, No. 2-4 250-260 lbs. 38.00-39.00, No. 2-4 115-180 lbs. 38.00-39.00. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 35.00-38.25. Boars 26.00-28.50.

FEEDER PIGS 294. US No. 1-2 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 24.00-29.00 per head, No. 1-2 35-50 lbs. 35.00-44.00 per head, No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 15.50-25.00, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 24.00-29.00, No. 1-3 75-90 lbs. 30.00-40.00 per head.

SHEEP 100. Spring slaughter lambs $10 to $20 lower. Few Choice 25 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 66.00-75.00, 30-45 lbs. 50.00-67.00, 50-70 lbs. 35.00-55.00, Good 30-50 lbs. 30.00-45.00. Slaughter ewes 3.00-13.50.

Baltimore Eggs

Wednesday, March 26

Market steady. Carton movement into retail outlets heavy today in preparation for end of the week sales. Supplies are ample.

Cartoned eggs: Prices to retailers, state graded (min. one case sale) white.

Grade A Large 70-76, mostly 70-72; Grade A Medium 64-70, mostly 64-65.

Philadelphia Eggs

Wednesday, March 26

Prices unchanged. Cartoning demand continues good. Offerings of Extra Large and Large fully adequate, mediums adequate to barely adequate. Undertone steady to weak.

Prices to retailers: Sales to volume buyers, consumer grades white eggs in cartons, delivered: Store Door A Extra Large 68-69½; A Large 67-68½; A Medium 59-60½.

Fogelsville

Sale of March 25

(Prices paid dock weights, cents per pound, except where noted.)

Hens, heavy type 12½-33, mostly 25-29; Pullets 30-55; Roasters 19-55, mostly 37-45; Capons 35-72, mostly 65-72; Ducks 50½-53; Drakes 10-55, mostly 50-55; Geese 41-60; Turkeys, Toms 43; Turkeys - Hens 34-47; Rabbits 26-70, mostly 60-65; Guineas 1.32; Pigeons (per pr.) 1.70-3.60.

Total coops sold 399.

Poultry received Monday 7 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. Tuesday 7 a.m. to 12 Noon. Sale at 11:30 a.m.

Directions — Take Rt. 222 thruway. Exit at Fogelsville exit. North to stoplight in Fogelsville, turn left, proceed one mile.

Delmarva

Broiler-Fryer Market
Wednesday, March 26

Ready to cook movement improved slightly though still generally slow in most quarters. Slaughter schedules reduced as several plants not operating today. Today's less than trucklot asking prices unchanges to 1 cent higher on both Plant and US Grade A. Advance interest fairly good at 40 cents on plant grade. Live supplies fully adequate at generally desirable weights. Undertone firm.

Negotiated trucklot prices 2-3 lb. ready to cook broiler-fryers for delivery next week: Plant Grade 40.

Current broiler-fryer negotiated prices for immediate delivery mostly multiple-drop shipments to New York City from Delmarva.

Range: US Grade A 39-40½; Plant Grade 38-39; Premium US Grade A 41-44; Premium Plant Grade 40-42.

Wtd. Avg.: US Grade A 39.78; Plant Grade 38.63; Premium US Grade A 42.37; Premium Plant Grade 41.86.

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Classification	New Weight Per Case	Tuesday	Thursday
Extra Large	51 lbs.	0	0
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	49	43
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	44	40
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	30	28
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	39	37
Checks	48 lbs.	31	30

Eastern Pa. & N. J.

Live Poultry Report
Wednesday, March 26

Prices continue steady on light type hens though a weak undertone prevails as increased offerings ample for a light and disappointing demand. Offerings of heavy type adequate for a fair demand.

Prices paid at farm: Light type hens 4-5½, mostly 5-5½ in PA, mostly 5-5½ in NJ.

Heavy type hens TFEWR.

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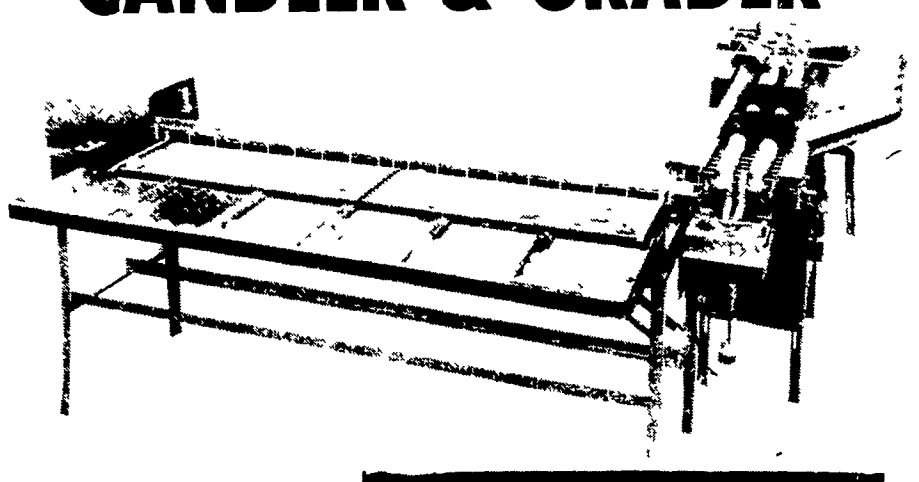

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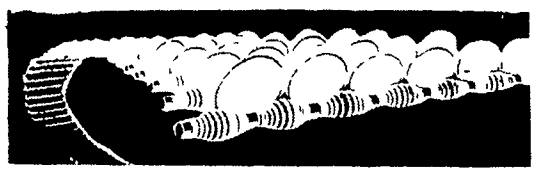

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Pa. Auction Summary

Harrisburg, PA
Week Ending
March 21, 1975

CATTLE 6874. Compared with 6512 head last week, and 4849 head a year ago. Compared with last week's market, slaughter steers steady to 75c lower. Slaughter heifers mostly $1 to $2 lower. Slaughter cows 25c to 75c lower. Slaughter bullocks unevenly steady. Slaughter bulls steady to $1 higher.

STEERS: High Choice & Prime 37.85-38.85, Choice 35.50-38.25, Good 30.50-36.00, Standard 26.00-31.00, Utility 22.00-26.50. HEIFERS: Choice 30.00-35.25, Good 27.00-31.50, Standard 23.00-27.75, Utility 20.50-25.00. COWS: Utility & High Dressing Cutter 21.00-23.60, Cutters 19.50-22.00, Canners 17.50-20.00, Shells down to 12.00. BULLOCKS: Choice 29.50-33.75, Good 25.00-29.50, Standard 24.00-27.00, few Utility 23.00-25.00. BULLS: Yield Grade No. 1 1000-2000 lbs. 26.00-30.00; yield grade No. 2 900-1600 lbs. 24.00-27.50. FEEDER CATTLE: Good & Choice 300-700 lbs. feeder steers 24.00-30.50, Medium 300-700 lbs. 18.00-26.00; Good 250-600 lbs. feeder heifers 22.75-27.25, Medium 300-700 lbs. 18.00-23.00; Medium & Good 300-700 lbs. feeder bulls 19.00-26.50.

CALVES 4027. Compared with 4216 head last week, and 3489 head a year ago. Vealers mostly $1 to $2 higher.

VEALERS: Few Prime 61.00-75.00, Choice 50.00-65.00, Good 44.00-53.00, Standard 32.00-45.00, Utility 110-130 lbs. 22.00-34.00, 90-120 lbs. 18.00-24.00, 70-85 lbs. 14.00-19.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 20.00-35.00; beef cross bulls & heifers 70-120 lbs. 24.00-44.00.

HOGS 8272. Compared with 7722 head last week, and 7169 head a year ago. Barrows & Gilts weak to 75c lower.

BARROWS & GILTS: Few US No. 1-2 200-230 lbs. 41.00-42.00, No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 40.00-41.00, No. 2-3 190-260 lbs. 39.00-40.00, No. 2-4 250-300 lbs. 36.00-38.75, No. 2-4 170-190 lbs. 30.00-38.50. SOWS: US No. 1-3 300-575 lbs. 34.50-39.50, No. 2-3 300-600 lbs. 32.00-37.00. Boars 24.00-29.00.

FEEDER PIGS 1012. Compared with 1257 head last week, and 645 head a year ago. US No. 1-3 20-35 lb. feeder pigs 12.00-26.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 22.00-36.00, No. 1-3 50-85 lbs. 27.00-51.00, Utility 20-50 lbs. 8.50-26.00 per head.

SHEEP 3681. Compared with 578 head last week, and 457 head a year ago. Bulk supply spring slaughter lambs sold to the Easter trade - Steady to strong, spots $5 higher. Wooled slaughter lambs mostly steady. Choice 10-20 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 80.00-100.00, few 215.00, 20-40 lbs. 70.00-95.00, 40-60 lbs. 60.00-80.00, 60-85 lbs. 45.00-60.00, Good 40-70 lbs. 40.00-60.00; Choice 60-100 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 40.00-46.00, Good 60-90 lbs. 36.00-44.00, Utility 50-70 lbs. 24.00-36.00. Slaughter ewes 10.00-17.00.

Baltimore USDA Report

March 24, 1975

CATTLE 375. Slaughter steers & heifers 50 cents to $1 higher; Cows steady to weak; Bulls strong to 50 cents higher; Supply 30 percent slaughter steers & heifers, 45 percent cows, 20 percent feeder cattle, balance bulls.

STEERS: Choice yield grade 2-4 1075-1200 lbs. 36.50-38.00, Good & Choice 1075-1275 lb. 34.50-36.50. HEIFERS: High Good & Choice yield grade 2-4 900-950 lbs. 33.00-34.00. COWS: Utility 20.35-23.35, Cutters 18.00-20.50, Canner & Low Cutters 14.75-18.00. BULLS: Yield Grade No. 1 1185-1625 lbs. 25.10-28.00; yield grade No. 2 23.00-24.75; Standard Good bullocks 900-1200 lbs. 25.50-28.60.

HOGS 700. Barrows & Gilts 25 cents to 50 cents higher. US No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 40.00, mostly 40.25-40.50, 25 head 40.75.

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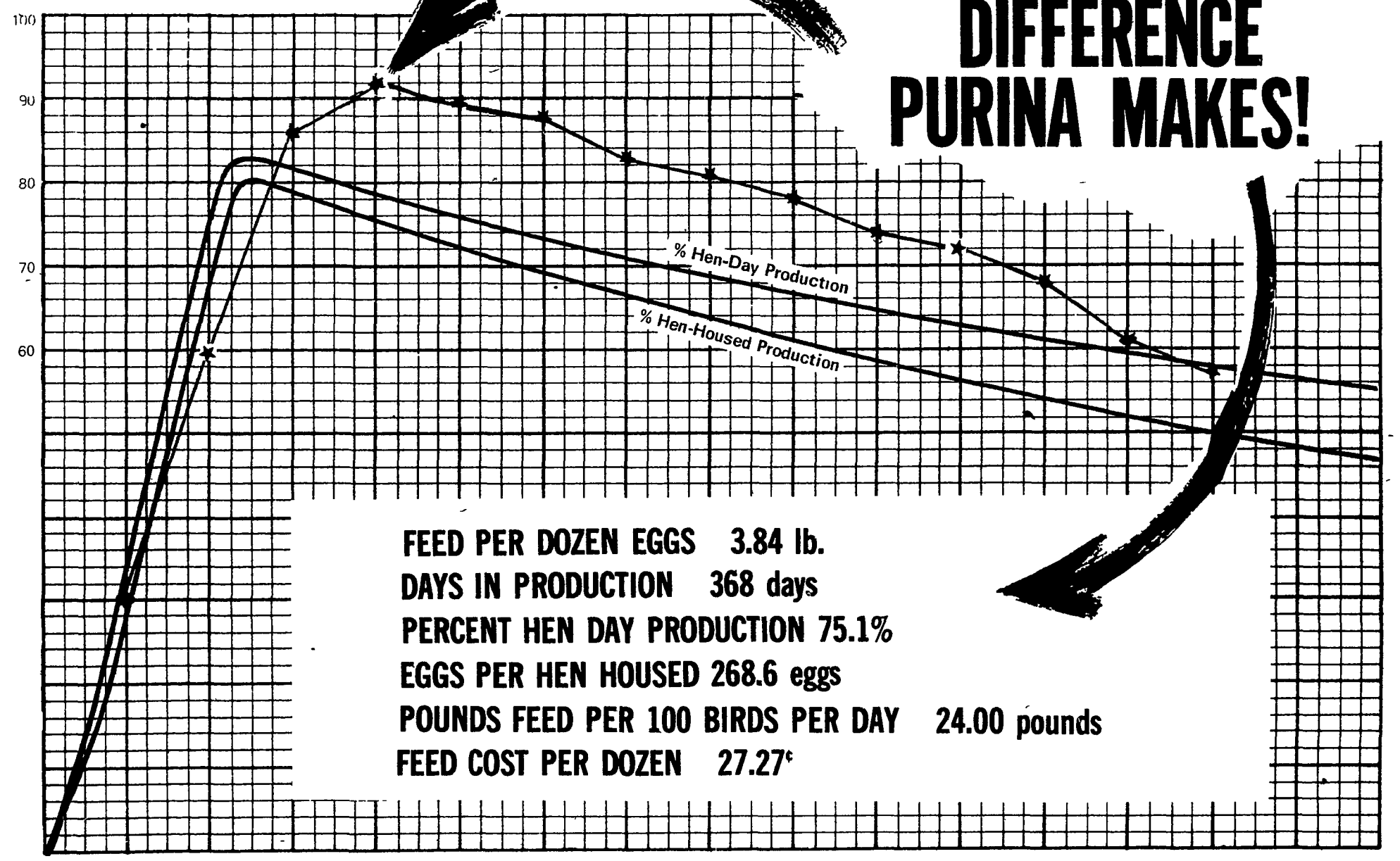

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Carlisle Livestock

Carlisle, PA
March 25, 1975

CATTLE 333. Supply included 180 head feeder cattle; bulk of which was sold by the head. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers grading Good $1.50 higher. Slaughter cows strong to $2 higher. Few Choice slaughter steers 37.25-39.75, Good 31.50-35.00, Standard 25.25-29.00, few Utility 22.75-25.50. Few Good slaughter heifers 24.85-30.00, few Standard 24.25-26.50, one Utility at 24.00. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 22.10-24.60, Cutters 20.50-22.25, Canners 19.50-20.75, Shells down to 15.50. Two Good slaughter bullocks 27.25 and 29.50, few Standard 23.50-27.25. Few Yield Grade No. 1 1530-2310 lbs. slaughter bulls 27.35-30.50. Medium & Good 500-775 lbs. feeder steers 20.75-24.50; Medium & Good 330-800 lbs. feeder bulls 21.75-28.00.

CALVES 163. Vealers grading Good $2 higher; Utility $1.50 to $3 lower. Few Choice vealers 51.50-58.00, Good 41.00-53.00, Standard 30.00-45.00, Utility 110-130 lbs. 20.00-29.00, 90-115 lbs. 15.00-20.00, 70-85 lbs. 12.00-15.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-125 lbs. 20.00-36.50.

HOGS 470. Barrows & Gilts 50c to $1 higher. US No. 1-3 215-225 lbs. barrows & gilts 40.85-41.10 No. 1-3 200-245 lbs. 40.10-41.00, No. 2-3 195-255 lbs. 39.00-40.35, few No. 2-4 285-350 lbs. 31.50-37.75, No. 2-4 140-170 lbs. 33.00-37.00. US No. 1-3 205-530 lbs. sows 30.50-35.50, few No. 2-3 400-535 lbs. 30.00-32.00. Boars 25.00-27.00; light weights 28.50-38.00.

FEEDER PIGS 228. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 13.00-30.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 26.00-35.00, No. 1-3 50-80 lbs. 29.00-36.00 per head, two lots 45 and 75 lbs. 53.00 and 81.00 ctw., Utility 25-55 lbs. 20.00-26.00 per head.

SHEEP 72. Bulk of spring slaughter lambs for Easter trade. Choice 30-45 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 66.00-89.00, 45-55 lbs. 40.00-51.50, Choice 90-110 lbs. wooled slaughter lamxs 42.00-43.00, one lot Good 68 lbs. 39.00, one Utility 55 lbs. 19.00. Slaughter ewes 7.00-11.00.

New Holland Dairy

Wednesday, March 26

Reported receipts of 157 cows and 4 bulls. Market reported lower than last week.

Load of Pa. cows fresh 375-695; load of Franklin County cows fresh 410-570; load of Maryland cows springers 225-565; load of Wisconsin cows fresh 600-680 and Pa. cows fresh 500-615.

Herd dispersal of 32 head in all stages of production 275-525.

Locally consigned cows 300-780; springing heifers 425-500; and bulls 165-360.

New York Dressed Meats

March 27, 1975

Daily distributive - less than carlot meat trade.

Compared with Wednesday: Prices closing unchanged with widespread price resistance prevelant on practically all fresh meats. It appears that moderate current receipts will be well cleared for the week; however, lamb chucks under pressure with several clean up deals on these reported under $60.00. Report from wholesale channels also indicate that carlot purchases for next week's arrival are very conservative in number.

Steer Beef

Prime 600-900 lbs. 61.00-63.00; Choice 600-700 61.00-62.50; 700-800 60.00-62.00; 800-900 58.50-60.00; Good 500-800 56.50-57.50.

Heifer Beef

Choice 500-700 lbs. 59.50-61.50.

Calf (Skin Off)

Choice 150-350 lbs. 57.00-62.00; Good 150-350 47.00-52.00; Standard 150-350 44.00-47.00.

Veal (Skin Off)

Choice 90-150 lbs. 81.00-87.00; Good 60-90 72.00-76.00; Standard 60-120 60.00-65.00.

Lamb:

Choice & Prime 30-55 92.00-94.00; 55-65 91.00-93.00.

Choice Beef Cuts:

Hinds (Steer) 145-190 lbs. 72.00-74.00; Arm Chucks 90-105 50.00-52.00; Ribs (7-rib) 34-40 83.00-88.00; Loins (Trmd) 50-70 90.00-95.00; Rounds (Steer) 70-95 70.00-72.00; Full Plates 35.50-36.00; Hinds (Heifer) 120-170 71.00-73.00.

Pork Cuts (Fresh)

Loins (Regular) 8-14 79.00-82.00; 14-17 78.00-81.00; Picnics (Regular) 4-8 47.00-49.00; Boston Butts 4-8 71.00-74.00; Spareribs 3 lbs. down 85.00-87.00; Hams (Skinned) 14-17 75.00-78 00; 17-20 72.00-75.00.

Omaha Cattle

March 27

Weekly 51 — Cattle — Compared with previous week's close: Slaughter steers and heifers 3.00-4.00 higher after a series of wildly fluctuating sessions. Cows 1.50-2.50 higher. Bulls strong to 1.00 higher.

Slaughter steers approximately 45 percent, heifers 28 percent, cows 14 percent, and feeders 9 percent. Four day receipts 13,900 as compared 14,200 previous week and 16,500 a year ago. Fed cattle trade advanced sharply on Monday and Tuesday under stimulation of meager supplies and soaring carcass prices. A part of early advance wiped out at midweek but even so, the upturn was the greatest for a single week since early July 1975. Early marketings sharply curtailed by seller resistance to moving limited available supply of market ready cattle and to some extent by abruptly at midweek as supplies reached normal proportions and some slaughters geared buying operations to accomodate the non-slaughter holiday on Good Friday.

STEERS: Two loads choice and rpime 1097-1233 lbs. yield grade 3-4 41.50 at high time Tuesday. At midweek, three loads and part load same grade 1075-1200 lbs. yield grade 3-4 41.00, several loads 1200-1250 lbs. 39.50-40.50. Choice 975-1275 lbs. yield grade 2-4 38.50-40.00, closing trade mainly 38.50-39.50. Load Choice and prime 1730 lbs. yield grade 30.00 Monday. Mixed good and choice 950-1250 lbs. 37.50-39.00. Good 34.00-38.00. Standard and low-good 31.00-34.00.

Average cost slaughter steers first three days 38.20 average weight 1109 lbs. as compared 34.97 and 1114 lbs. previous week and 41.00 and 1165 lbs. a year ago.

HEIFERS: Three loads choice and prime 958-1043 lbs. yield grade 3-4 39.50-40.00 on Tuesday. Several loads same grade 975-1101 lbs. yield grade 3-4 38.50-39.00 during week. Choice 850-1050 lbs. yield grade 2-4 37.00-38.50 at close. Mixed good and choice 800-975 lbs. 36.00-37.50. Good 32.00-36.00. Small lots standard and low-good 29.00-31.00.

COWS: Utility and commercial 20.50-22.50, a few utility 23.00-24.00. Canner and cutter 16.50-21.00, mixed cutter and low-utility 21.25-21.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1&2 1400-1800 lbs. 20.00-25.00, several yield grade 1 25.50-27.00. Two loads good and choice 1150-1200 lb. bullocks yield grade 1&2 27.50-28.50.

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Monday, March 24

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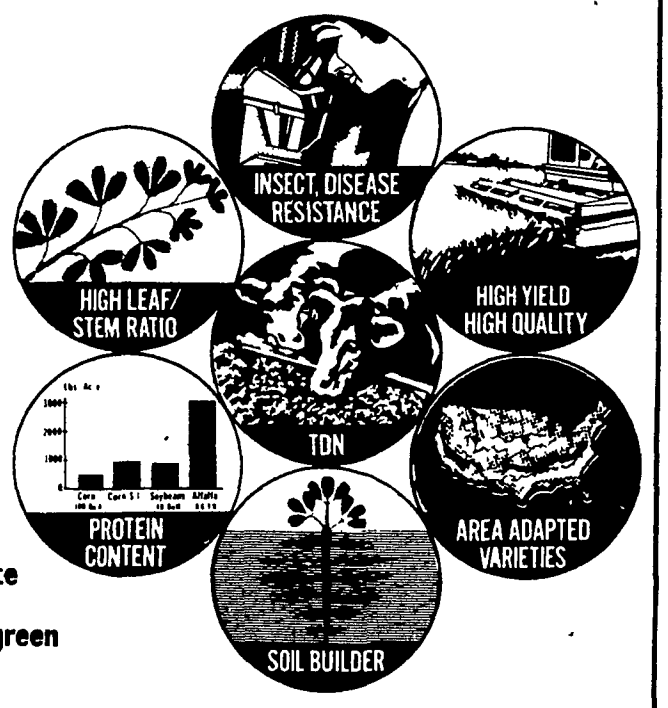

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Peoria Cattle

March 27
51 Weekly Summary
Cattle

Receipts this week	4100
Last week	4200
Year ago	5700

Compared with last week's close, slaughter steers 2.50-3.50 higher. Slaughter heifers 3.50-4.50 higher. Cows 2.50-3.00 higher. Bulls strong to 1.00 higher. Receipts about 80 percent slaughter steers, 15 percent slaughter heifers, balance mainly cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Load Choice and Prime 1200 lbs. yield grade 3-4 41.50; early 39.00-39.50; choice 950-1300 lbs. yield grade 2-4 37.00-39.00, at mid-week 38.50-40.50; mixed good and choice 900-1300 lbs. 37.00-39.00; good 34.00-37.00; standard and good holsteins 32.00-32.75, few good 34.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice and prime 900-1050 lbs. yield grade 3-4 early 37.00-37.50. At mid week 39.50-40.00; choice 850-1050 lbs. yield grade 2-4 35.00-37.00, late 37.50-39.50; mixed good and choice 750-1100 lbs. 34.00-37.50; good 29.00-34.00.

COWS: Utility and commercial 22.00-23.50; high-dressing utility 24.00-25.00; cutter 19.00-22.50; canner 15.00-19.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1100-1600 lbs. 21.00-26.00; couple yield grade 1 27.50-28.50.

Greencastle Livestock Auction

Greencastle, PA
March 24, 1975

CATTLE 245. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter cows steady to weak. Good slaughter steers 30.25-34.75, Standard 26.00-30.50. One Good slaughter heifer at 26.00. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 20.60-22.60, few to 23.60, Cutters 19.25-20.60, Canners 16.60-19.25. One Good slaughter bullock at 31.25, few Standard 25.50-27.85. Few Yield Grade No. 1 1320-2000 lbs. slaughter bulls 25.75-28.85. Good 350-650 lbs. feeder steers 25.50-29.50, one at 30.25; Good 350-600 lbs. feeder heifers 22.75-26.00

CALVES 211. Vealers grading Utility & Standard steady to $5 lower. One Choice vealer at 48.00, Good 37.00-47.00, Standard 29.00-37.00, Utility 90-110 lbs. 17.00-20.00, 70-85 lbs. 14.50-18.50. Farm calves fairly active, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 19.00-33.00.

HOGS 68. Few US No. 1-3 205-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 40.10, few lots No. 2-3 200-215 lbs 38.75-40.10, few No. 2-4 140-165 lbs. 32.00-34.50. Few US No. 1-3 370-550 lbs sows 35 85-37.25. One Boar at 29.50.

FEEDER PIGS 4. Lot US No 1-3 35 lbs. feeder pigs 19 00 per head.

SHEEP 9. Few Choice 65-85 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 42 50-48.50, lot Good 45 lbs. 40.00.

Oklahoma City

March 27
Thursday Feeder
Cattle Auction

Estimated Receipts	8,400
Same Day Last Week	15,572

Moderately active, feeder cattle and calves uneven, averaging about steady with the week's advance; majority receipts mixed good and choice 400-800 lb. steers and 400-700 lb. heifers with part of these cattle arriving from wheat pastures. Moderate attendance buyers.

FEEDER STEERS: Choice 375-500 lb. 29.00-33.00; 500-800 lb. 30.00-33.50, package 523 lb. at 34.25; 800-995 lb. 31.00-33.30, load 928 lb. at 33.85; mixed good and choice 375-500 lb. 26.75-29.75; 500-800 lb. 26.75-29.75; few 800-950 lb. 28.50-29.75; good 500-800 lb. 22.50-26.75.

FEEDER HEIFERS· Choice 300-500 lb. 23.25-25.15; 500-750 lb. 24.00-27.75; mixed good and choice 400-630 lb. 21.75-24.00; good 360-600 lb. 19.75-21.75.

FOR THE WEEK. Compared to late last week: feeder cattle and calves 1.00-3.00, mostly 2.00-3.00 higher, slaughter cows 1.50-2.00 higher in good demand; slaughter bulls generally steady. Salable receipts near 22,800 head compared to 33,825 last week and 17,841 the comparable period a year ago. Cows 14 percent cattle receipts; feeders 82 percent of the total.

St. Louis Weekly

March 27
Weekly Cattle Reviews

Receipts	7,100
Last Week	6,900
Year Ago	5,900

Compared with last Tuesday, Slaughter Steers and Hiefers 2.50-3.00 higher. Cows mostly 1.00 higher, Bulls steady to 1.00 higher. Supply near 38 percent Steers, mostly Choice 1000-1300 lbs. yield grade 2-4 with near 18 percent Heifers, 20 percent Cows and 25 percent Feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Three loads Choice including Prime 1050-1150 lbs. yield grade 2-4 39.50-40.25, one load Choice 1050 lbs. yield grade 2-4 41.00 on Wednesday. Choice 950-1300 lbs. yield grade 2-4 37.50-39.50, mostly 38.00-39.00. Mixed Good and Choice 900-1300 lbs. 35.50-37.50. Good 33.00-36.00. Standard and Good holsteins 1000-1350 lbs. 30.50-33.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Load and few small consignments Choice including Prime 975-1050 lbs. yield grade 3-4 37.00-37.50. Choice 850-1050 lbs. yield grade 2-4 36.00-37.00. Mixed Good and Choice 800-1050 lbs. 34.00-36.00. Good 32.00-34.00. Few Standard and Good 650-850 lbs. 30.00-32.00.

COWS· Utility and Commerical 19.00-22.00, few 23.00. Cutter 17.00-19.00, Canner 15.00-17.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1000-1600 lbs. 20.00-25.00, mostly 23.00-25.00. Several yield grade 1 1100-1800 lbs. 25.00-26.00

VEALERS· Choice 34.00-39.00.

FEEDERS. Supply includes near 1200 at Thursdays auction. Feeder Steers grading Choice or better Steady to 1.00 higher, other steers very uneven generally steady. Feeder Heifers very uneven, steady to weak. Supply primarily Good and Choice 400-700 lb. steers but including moderate showing bulls. Heifers mostly Good and Choice 350-600 lbs.

STEERS: Choice 350-450 lbs. 27.75-31.25. Choice 500-600 lbs. 28.00-31.75. Small lot Choice fleshy 962 lbs. 33.00. Mixed Good and Choice 450-650 lbs. 25.50-28.25. Few mostly good 385-473 lbs. 20.25-21.50. Small lot Standard and Good Holsteins Bulls 677 lbs. 18.50.

HEIFERS: Choice 350-500 lbs. 22.75-26.25. Few Choice 538-564 lbs. 23.00-24.25. Couple consignments Choice fleshy 538-712 lbs. 29.25-29.50. Mixed Good and Choice 300-600 lbs. 20.00-24.00. Small lot Standard and Good 549 lbs. 18.75.

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York Livestock

Thomasville, Pa.
March 26, 1975

CATTLE 64. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers grading Standard $2 to $4 higher. Few Choice 1100-1300 lbs. slaughter steers 35.75-37.00, few Good 31.00-35.60, Standard 29.10-31.25. Couple Good slaughter heifers 27.75 and 29.75, one Standard 25.00. Few Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 21.85-24.25, few Cutters 19.85-20.85, few Canners 17.35-19.75. Few Standard slaughter bullocks 26.10-28.75.

CALVES 50. Vealers grading Utility steady to strong. One Choice vealer at 47.00, few Good 41.00-45.00, few Standard 25.00-34.00, Utility 90-120 lbs. 18.00-26.00, few 70-85 lbs. 16.00-19.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-105 lbs. 19.00-25.00.

HOGS 50. US No. 1-3 215-230 lbs. barrows & gilts 39.00-40.00, few No. 2-3 195-265 lbs. 35.00-38.00. Few US No. 1-3 280-540 lbs. sows 33.00-35.00. One Boar at 25.00.

FEEDER PIGS 31. One lot US No. 1-3 30 lbs. feeder pigs 20.50 per head, one lot No. 1-3 85 lbs. 32.50 per head, few No. 1-3 105 lbs. 35.50-37.00 cwt.

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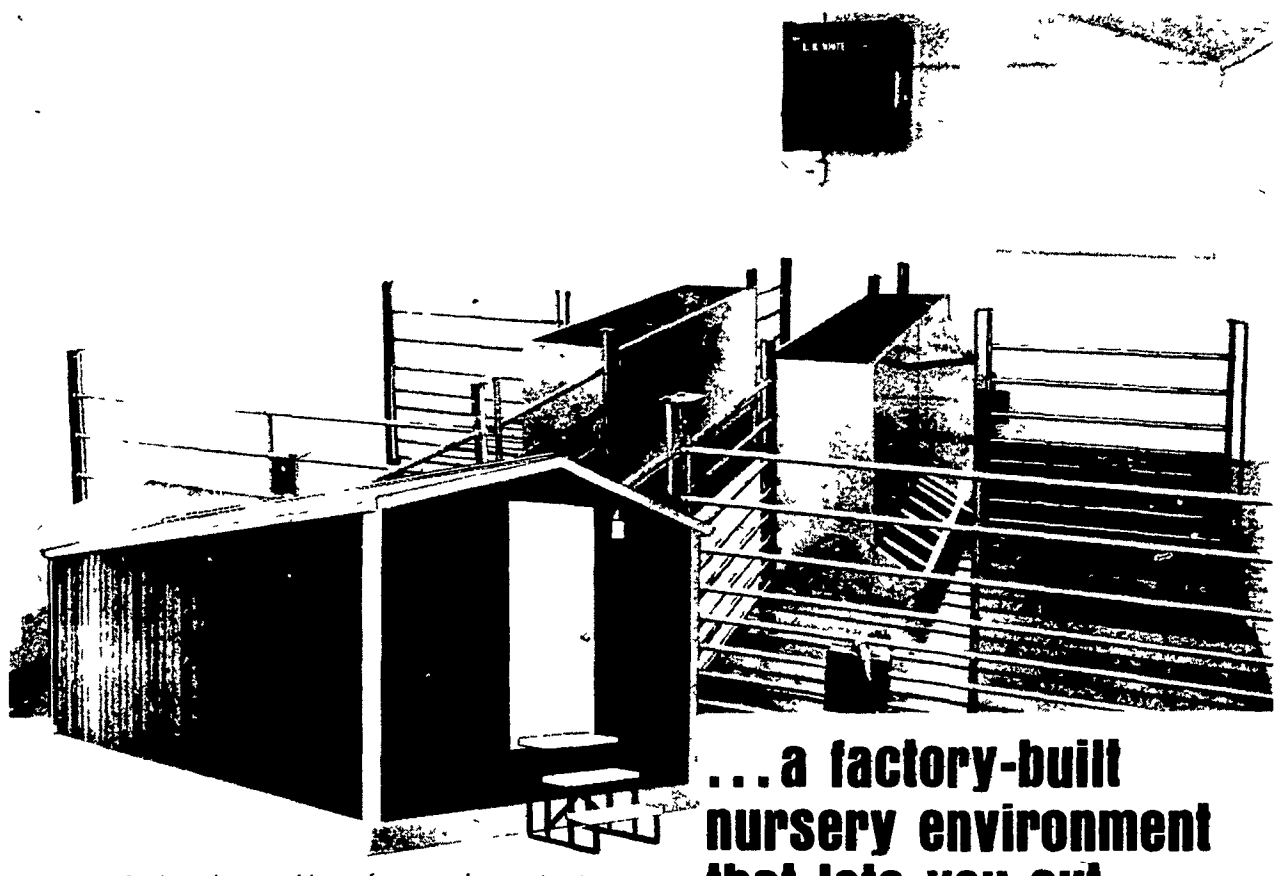

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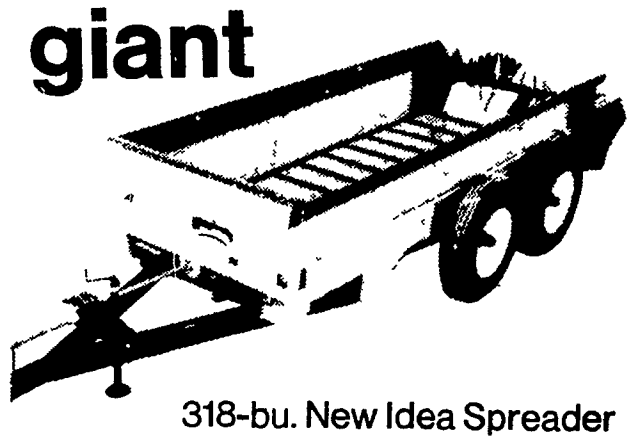

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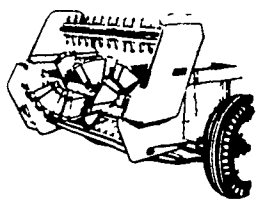

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THE OLD FARMER'S ALMANAC

MARCH 31 - APRIL 6, 1975

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Ask the Old Farmer: Where did the expression "By George" come from? G. D., Wilmington, Delaware.

Men used to swear by the name of their king, George, or Godfrey (de Boullon), a famed crusader. "By Jimminy (Gemini)," "by Jove" come down to us from the old Romans who ran the show in England, once upon a time.

Home Hints You can easily clean pewter by rubbing it briskly with raw cabbage then rinse and dry polish it thoroughly for a beautiful gleam

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECASTS

New England: Coastal rain to start, then rain mixed with snow with 4-6" snow in north; end of week clear and spring-like.

Greater New York-New Jersey: Partly clear and mild at first, then moderately heavy rain; end of week clearing and warm.

Middle Atlantic Coastal: Week begins with light rain in south and heavier rain in north, then mild; clear and warming up latter part.

Southeast Coastal-Piedmont: Early week warming up with showers; rain throughout region and colder by week's end.

Florida: First part of week clear and warm in central and north but cloudy and warm elsewhere; scattered showers latter part.

Upstate & Western N.Y.-Toronto & Montreal: Moderate to heavy rain and mild through midweek; partly sunny and cool latter part with heavy snow by weekend in north, central and west.

Greater Ohio Valley: Rain to start, then very warm, end of week fair and warm, then heavy rain in east and much colder in west.

Deep South: Week begins rainy and quite warm; week ends with heavy rain along gulf and central, and showers in north.

Chicago & Southern Great Lakes: Thunderstorms with hard rain to start, then partial clearing; snowstorm by weekend.

Northern Great Plains-Great Lakes: Snow at first in west, then rain and some snow in central and east; end of week cold with light snow.

Central Great Plains: Early week considerable rain and mild, cold snap latter part with snowstorm in north and flurries elsewhere.

Texas-Oklahoma: Clear and warm in central to start, then some rain and cooler in south and north; general clearing and warm latter part.

Rocky Mountain Region: Week begins snowy in central and south, then heavy snow in central mountains and showers in north; end of week sunny and mild with showers in north.

Southwest Desert: First part of week cool with intermittent light rain; end of week generally clear and warm.

Pacific Northwest: Cloudy and cool to start, then showers in north and partly sunny in south; light rain latter part, then clearing and pleasant.

California: Showery and cool at first, then clearing; rain, moderately heavy at times, by weekend.

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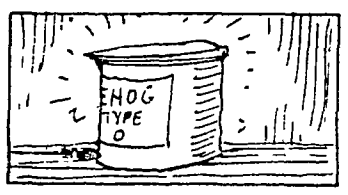
Fire Season Approaching

The season for forest fires is approaching rapidly, reports the Department of Environmental Resources, Bureau of Forestry. Contrary to many beliefs, fires in Pennsylvania occur more often in the spring and fall months than in the summer. The spring fire season usually extends from mid-March to early May, depending on the weather. Spring is usually the worst of the two with as many as ten to twelve times more fires occurring than in the fall.

Forest fires may start in various ways, such as sparks from a trash fire, careless smoking, children playing with matches, and railroads. In southeastern Pennsylvania, the number one cause in 1974 was attributed to railroads, followed by incendiary or arson fires, smoking, debris burning, children, equipment use, and campfires. It is important to note that every fire which occurred can be related to human carelessness. In 1974, the statewide total of forest fires amounted to 1,562 as reported to the District offices of the Bureau of Forestry. These fires burned over 8,200 acres and cost the Commonwealth over $275,000 to extinguish them.

Forest fires destroy timber, soil, recreation, wildlife, and even kill people such as the large Peshtigo, Wisconsin fire in 1871. Besides burning over one and a quarter million acres of forest land, destroying entire towns and communities, 1,500 people perished, five times as many as in the great Chicago fire which began the same day.



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Letters to the Editor

In Support of Production Cutback

The production cutback is more or less a spontaneous idea. It has started in a number of areas, but seems most organized in the area centered around Illinois. I saw an article in PRARIE FARMER written by H. Wayne Barnett, Rural Route 1, Shipman, Ill 62685 Phone 618-729-3278 and called him. He sent me their program, which consists very nearly of the same things I say below. He has been quite active in getting the thing organized in the Middle West, from Ohio to Nebraska and from Minnesota to Missouri. There are no dues or payments asked from anyone; just a committment to, reduce average by whatever you feel you can. They recommend 10 percent of average ground; I feel that 20 percent of a farmers poorest ground will accomplish the same thing without costing him as much.

Here is what is being recommended: (1) Plant the poorest 20 percent of your land to hay, pasture, or green manure; (2) Test your ground. Satisfy lime requirements first, then apply fertilizer until return per dollar spent begins to diminish; (3) Stretch your old machinery through another year. This will make industry realize the value of your business and also keep you in a better financial position if the economy falters; (4) Use the additional time you'll have to take better care of your crop and to keep that old machinery running; (5) Encourage your farmer friends to join you in the production cut. Because there is no one publicising this, you don't hear of those who are doing it. It is being done!; (6) Write to your newspapers and farm magazines, promoting this idea. We need all the publicity we can get Each farmer needs to know he is not alone; (7) Stick to your committment, even when the governments tempts you to change your mind.

We need to get the law of supply and demand working again. Let's show the world just who is in control of farming. We have to one product people just MUST have on a daily basis. Let's not give it away below cost. To help feed the world, first, we have to stay in business. Our demands are most reasonable and justifiable, but let's bargain from a position of strength. Farmers have been used and lied too for far too long. Lets' do it!

PSU Poultry Course Set

A poultry sales and service conference will be held next Tuesday and Wednesday at Penn State University, University Park.

Jay Irwin, associate county agent in Lancaster, recommends the course as excellent for poultrymen.

Among the topics to be discussed are mycotoxins in feed. Dr. Owen D. Keene, extension poultry specialist, will speak Tuesday afternoon on effects, diagnosis, treatment and prevention of mycotoxin contamination. For poultry industry people, Dr. H. Leroy Marlow assistant director of Continuing Education, management division, will discuss management development training.

He will dsicuss leadership, motivation, alternatives and daily industry duties Dr. Marlow will speak Tuesday afternoon.

Other topics slated for the conference are meachanically deboned poultry meat; rodent control; computer forecasting of the future; management tips; and question and answer periods

Deadline for Farm, Home Scholarships Set At May 1

Seniors in public and non-public high schools in Lancaster County have until May 1 to apply for 1975 Farm and Home Foundation scholarships, it was announced this week by Lancaster County Agricultural Agent Max Smith, chairman of the Foundation's scholarship committee.

Smith said up to ten scholarships worth $400 each will be available to students entering school and planning to major in agriculture, home economics or nursing. Funds for the scholarship program come from the earnings of a trust fund established by Elmer L. Esbenshade, a founder of the Lancaster County Farm and Home Foundation.

Scholarship winners may use their awards to help defray tuition, fees or room and board expenses at any accredited educational institution offering a course of study in agriculture, home economics or nursing.

Smith urged interested high school seniors to contact their guidance counselors. More information is available from Smith at the Lancaster County Farm and Home Center, 1383 Arcadia Road, Lancaster, PA 17601, phone 394-6851.

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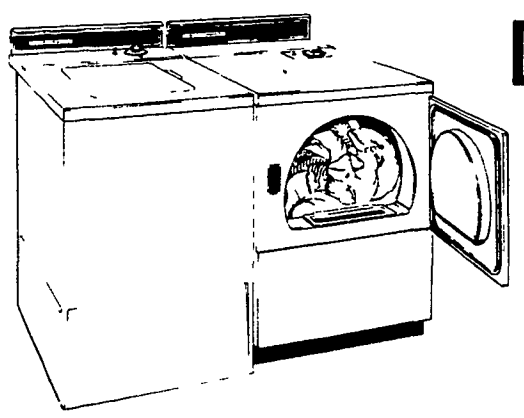

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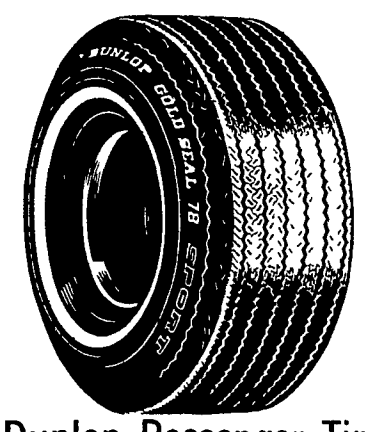

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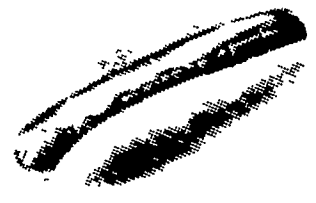

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Conservation Deadline is Pushed Back - But the Need Still Exists

It looks like we no longer have a July 1, 1977, deadline for the installation of conservation practices on all Pennsylvania farms In hearings before the Pennsylvania House Agriculture Committee recently, Department of Environmental Resources people told the representatives that the deadline would be extended. But Walter Lyon, director of the state's Bureau of Water Quality Management, didn't say hom long the deadline would be extended Nor did he say for sure how much farmers would have to do to meet the Clean Streams Law requirements

Farmers locally and throughout that state have been most concerned with two questions Will they have to install expensive cropland terraces to stop erosion from their fields? and Will they have to fence off their streams to keep their cattle out?

The answers to both questions, in most cases, appears to be, "No", according to Afton Schadel, a Schuylkill County farmer who heads up DER's erosion and sedimentation control efforts Schadel said he doesn't think streams will have to be fenced off And he said he feels the state would not compel farmers to install terraces unless their cropping practices were the kind that could create a lot of sedimentation An example might be continuous corn on land with more than a three percent slope

Schadel was in Hinkletown on Wednesday evening to talk to a group of Eastern Lancaster County farmers at the Hinkletown Alternative School He took a lot of abuse from one or two vocal members of the audience They insisted that Schadel and the state of Pennsylvania were trying to tell them what to do with their farms, even if it meant spending more money on conservation measures than they could possibly afford

Schadel denied the charges He said one would would say anything to a farmer unless erosion from his fields became a serious problem He pointed out that there are other, less expensive ways of controlling erosion than terraces. Contour strips, good cropping practices and proper tillage can all help solve erosion problems, Schadel said.

The gist of Schadel's message was that farmers aren't going to get into trouble with the law if they make reasonable efforts at controlling erosion

But the legal issue is really irrelevant, as Schadel pointed out There are two reasons for controlling sedimentation One is to keep our streams clean The other reason, more important to farmers, is to keep the soil on their fields. Soil is the farmer's most valuable resource. It only makes sense to husband it as carefully as possible Conservation practices can help preserve the thin layer of topsoil on which human life depends

That fact, not the law, should be all the impetus anybody needs to do the best job he can of conserving soil

Order 4 Expansion Seems Certain

Eleven counties in Pennsylvania and two in Maryland will probably be added to the Federal Order 4 Milk Marketing district sometime after June 1. This action will result from an order signed this week by assistant U S. Secretary of Agriculture Richard Felkner. But the order can become effective only if it is approved in a referendum vote by a two-thirds majority of all dairymen in the present Order 4 boundaries as well as a two-thirds majority of all dairymen in the counties which would be added

The effect of the addition would be an eight- to ten-cent per hundred increase in the blend price for all Order 4 shippers The increase for producers in some areas might be even higher Locally, most dairymen already ship to Order 4 markets and they are paid at or above the Order 4 minimum With the expansion, independent dairies would also be required to pay Order 4 minimums for the milk they buy Previously, independent dealers in Pennsylvania had been governed by the Pennsylvania Milk Marketing Board minimum, which has traditionally been lower than the federal order price

Most observers feel the new ruling will get the two-thirds vote necessary Milk cooperatives can vote their members in a block, and the cooperative managements are reportedly very much in favor of the expansion Pennsylvania counties to be added include Lancaster, York, Chester, Lebanon, Bucks, Montgomery, Adams, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Fulton, Juniata and Perry.

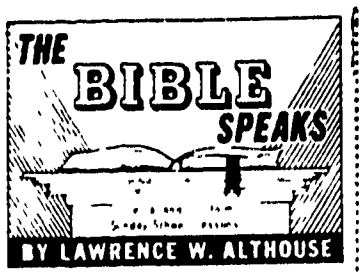
More on Planting Intentions

On the one hand, it appears that farmers cut back their planting intentions On the other hand, maybe that cutback isn't so much as it seems. In any event, the USDA's March Prospective Planting Report indicates farmers now intend to plant less corn, sorghum, wheat, and soybeans but more oats and barley than they originally planned to back on Jan 1

CORN plantings now seen at 75 3 million acres, down 3 pct from a year ago, and 3 pct below Jan 1 indications SORGHUM acreage seen at 18 9 million acres, up 6 pct from a year ago, but well below the 10 pct increase seen in January

But, OAT plantings are now seen at 18 2 million acres, 5 pct. above Jan. indications, though only ½ of 1 pct. above a year ago BARLEY acreage now seen at 10 2 million acres, up 8½ pct from January intentions, 12 pct more than last year Over-all FEED GRAIN acreage (corn, sorghum, oats, barley,) seen at 122 5 million acres, down 200,000 acres from a year ago — but 300,000 acres above the Jan forecast

SOYBEAN acreage seen at 56 6 million acres up 6 pct from a year ago, but below the 8 pct increase indicated in January DURUM WHEAT plantings seen at 4 3 million acres, up 5 pct from last year, but below the 10 pct increase forecast in January



OUR EASTER EQUIPMENT

Lesson for March 30, 1975

Background Scripture: 1 Corintians 15:3-15, 58; Hebrews 13.
Devotional Reading: Psalms 118: 21-25.

One of the most inspiring passages ever written about life after death is I Corinthians 15. Lifting up both the resurrection of Jesus Christ and our own victory over death through him, Paul closes with a great shout:

But thanks be to God who give us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ! (I Corinthians 15:57).

But there is more:

Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain. (15:58).

Because of Christ's resurrection through which we become like him, conquerors of death, we can therefore live victoriously. Easter, thus, is more than the "happy ending" to the story of Jesus. It is much more a "happy beginning" to new life through his power. It means, not only life after death, but life before death.

With everything good

So Easter is not just a celebration, it is time when we are given power to live victoriously in the midst of both life and death. The power that broke open the grave of Jesus and set him free is also the same power that enables us to meet the challenges and obstacles along life's way.

A well-known Christian benediction drawn from the Epistle to the Hebrews makes this point:

Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in you that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen. (13:20,21)

In other words, the resurrected Christ will give us the resources we need in order to meet the challenges and opportunities of life. Easter equips us to do God's will in our daily lives.

That you may do his will

In what ways?

The writer of Hebrews spells out some specifics:

"Let brotherly love continue . . " (That certainly requires some good equipment.)

"Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers" (That also.)

"Remember those that are in prison" (Still another.)

"Let marriage be held in honor among all" (And another.)

"Keep your life free from the love of money" (Here too!'

There seems to be no end of opportunities and challenges through which we may make manifest the power of the resurrection with which God equips us. Just as the early disciples were empowered to turn the world "upside down," so the consequence of Easter in our own time must be equally evident in the world around us. For that same resurrection power is still available to us. As Hebrews assures us: "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever)) (13:8).

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To be Careful With Drugs

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To Use Quality Seeds

The planting season is at hand and all farmers and gardeners are reminded of the merits of using either certified seeds or seeds of known purity and germination. The inputs into a crop are too expensive not to start with good seeds. If Certified seeds are not available of the desired seed variety, then local seeds should be tested for germination and purity. This service is available from the Seed Testing Laboratory, State Department of Agriculture, 2301 North Cameron St. Harrisburg, Pa. The cost will run from $2.50 to $4.50 per sample depending upon the type of seed and the information needed. The important thing to keep in mind is not to use unknown, untested seeds.

To Become Familiar With Weed Control

The growing season is starting and so are the weeds. According to a recent evaluation of some of the major crop problems in this part of the state, weed control rates at the top of the list. Even though most farmers and gardeners have been trying to control weeds for many generations, the job is far from accomplished. Therefore, every grower should become familiar with current weed control practices and make every effort to reduce the weed population this summer. Weeds decrease crop yields by using available moisture and plant food. Clean hand or mechanical cultivation should not be overlooked on small garden or flower plots. Weeds continue to reduce food and fiber production and increase costs; don't let them get ahead of you this season.

To Take Time To Be Safe

The greater use of tractors and farm machinery will be evident in the next few weeks. Farm equipment cannot be regarded as dangerous when in proper hands and operated at safe speeds. However, too much speed and careless operators can bring tragedy quickly. We urge all farm machinery operators to recognize the directions of the manufacturer and don't take chances. Youngsters are anxious to drive and ride on many pieces of equipment, but it is dangerous and unsafe to permit them to do so. Good machinery operated properly is vital to modern farming practices and should not be the cause of human injuries or fatalities. Operate with safety and good common sense.

Farm Calendar

Monday, March 31

8:30 a.m. - Lancaster County Guernsey Breeders Annual Tour. Leaving Willow Street Mennonite Church. There will also be a pick-up at the Mussers Store - Buck at 8:45 p.m.

Tuesday, April 1

1:00 - 3:00 p.m. - PSU milking School at Penn State.

American Egg Board Annual Meeting at St. Petersburg, Florida continues through April 2.

Pa. Poultry Sale and Service Meeting held at the Keller Conference Center at Penn State.

Vegetable Gardening Clinic at the Devereux Foundation in Berwyn, Chester County from 7:30 - 9:30 p.m.

Wednesday, April 2

Lancaster County Conservation District Meeting at the Lancaster Farm and Home Center at 7:30 p.m.

Pa. Ag Bankers Meeting at the Sheraton-Conestoga in Lancaster through April 3.

Vegetable Gardening Meeting at the Devereux Foundation in Berwyn in Chester County 7:30 - 9:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 3

United Egg Producers Annual Meeting in St. Petersburg, Florida continuing through April 4.

Vegetable Gardening Meeting at the Ware Center Building on the Lincoln University Campus in Chester County 7:30 - 9:30 p.m.

Lancaster County Young Farmers Volleyball Tournament at the Ephrata High School Gym at 7:45 p.m.

Saturday, April 5

Manheim Young Farmers and wives bowling night

Officers for the 1975 season were recently elected to represent the Lancaster County Baby Beef Club. The 4-Hers are (sitting from left) Nancy Herr, vice president; Cathy Brubaker, secretary and Linda Good, song leader. (Standing in back) Karen Weaver, news reporter; Gary Brubaker, president; Ken Brubaker, treasurer and Bernie Gish, game leader.

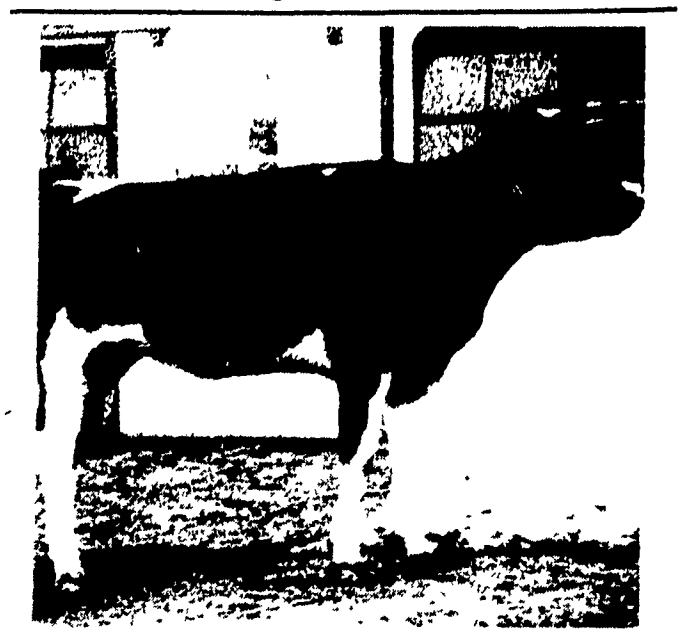
Lancaster Mennonite Slates Fund Drive

The Lancaster Mennonite High School annual fund drive will get under way next Friday, April 4, with a two-day work drive. Students at the school plan to hire themselves out to anyone interested in part-time help, and donate their wages to the fund drive effort. The work drive will continue through Saturday.

Also on Saturday there will be an auction to sell items which have been donated for the fund drive. These will include furniture, crafts, business machines, food, livestock, home and garden supplies and other articles. The auction will be held on the High School campus, will begin at 10 a.m and last until 8 or 9 p.m. Two Registered Holstein heifers have been donated for the auction by the Eby and Katherine Hershey family. They will be sold at 1:30 p.m.

There will also be an ox roast on Saturday from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Tickets for the family style meal will cost $4.50 and must be reserved ahead of time. There will also be takeout dinners available at $4.00 each.

For more information about the work drive, sale or to reserve meal tickets, call 394-4075. The Lancaster Mennonite School is located at 2176 Lincoln Highway East, Lancaster.



This daughter of Paclamar Citation M will be one of the heifers auctioned off on Saturday, April 5 on the campus of the Lancaster Mennonite High School. The heifer is one of two donated for the auction by the Eby and Katherine Hershey family. The auction is for the benefit of the high school.

Conservation District Seeks Scholarship Applications

The Lancaster County Conservation District is again offering this year a $150 scholarship to a teacher interested in participating in a conservation laboratory on environmental education

H. Seymour Fowler, from Pennsylvania State University is Director of the Pennsylvania Conservation Laboratory for Teachers. The District is accepting applications from interested teachers who may wish to attend.

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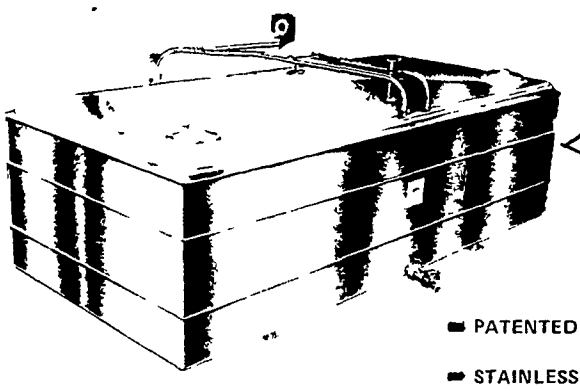

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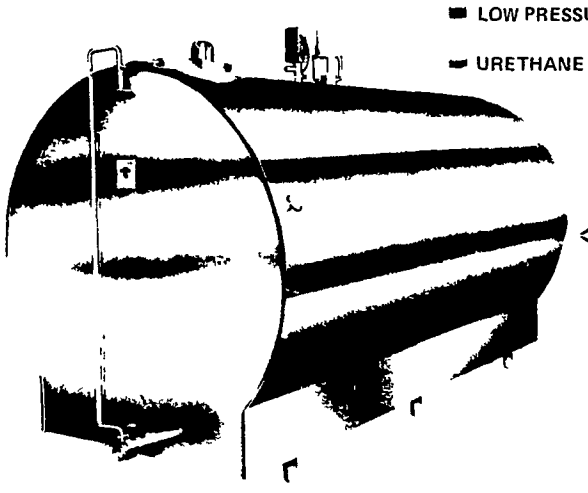

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kept busy during the growing and harvest season. Even so, he spent some $14,000 on custom work last year. "I figured that it might cost money for custom work, but that way I don't have to worry about hiring another man and keeping him busy the whole year," Wright said. "I'm on the Pennsylvania Farmers Association farm management service, and last year their computer told me I had only 2.67 full-time men working here. I try to keep my labor costs as low as I can."

Wright figures his average corn yield last year was about 100 bushels to the acre, held back somewhat perhaps, by the fact that he didn't get it planted as early as he'd have liked. He has gone as high as 186 bushels on some of his best corn ground. Grain bins on the home farm can hold practically all of Wright's corn crop. This storage capacity can be a big plus in getting past the price dip that always occurs during harvest. But some years, it just doesn't pay a fellow to hold on too long.

"This year I was too stubborn to sell for $3.45 a bushel, so I waited until it got to $3.10, then I sold," Wright said. The corn crop is generally sold over a four to five month period to feed mills in York and Gettysburg.

The peas and beans Wright grows are very low imput enterprises. He supplies the fertilizer, and he plants them, but the cannery which buys his output supplies the seed and they also harvest the crop. Wright's contract with the cannery guarantees him a definite return on each acre. This is an especially attractive deal, Wright feels, because these leguminous crops don't need any nitrogen fertilizer, only phosphorus and potash.

Seed barley is grown under a contract for another local firm. "I like the barley crop because I only have to hold it for a month, and I get 50-cents a bushel over the market price when I take it in to my customer," Wright said.

His cropping scheme means Wright runs the planter through some fields three times a year. A typical schedule would be planting peas the end of March, followed by limas in June after the peas are taken off, followed by barley in September after the limas go to the cannery. The barley, then, would be harvested the following June. Besides getting maximum use from his ground, Wright is also getting the benefit from the nitrogen which is left after the peas and beans are harvested. He figures he saves $40 an acre by not having to fertilize his small grains.

Shirley Wright is a big help in the farming business. She's on the road helping to transport machinery, she does a lot of the errands and keeps the farm records and the tax book.

Mrs. Wright is also her husband's biggest booster in his favorite hobby - tractor pulling. Wright's souped-up IH 1066 was a familiar sight on tracks around Pennsylvania this year. And he frequently won his events. He also competed against some of the nation's top tractor pullers in Harrisburg, Canada, Indianapolis and Louisville.

Wright has every reason to be optimistic about the future. At an age when many people are just thinking about getting started, he has been successful at his chosen work. The one note of concern he voiced was for the disappearing land.

"Developments keep eating away at the available land, and there seems to be less of it around every year. But we shouldn't have too much trouble getting land for pretty many years to come. And if we ever have to stick to just the 196 acres we own, we could always go to chickens or hogs."

Or dairy, we suggested. "No, I don't think milking goes too well with tractor pulling," Wright replied.

Pat Krall

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coordinating 4-H work in the county, recruiting new 4-H members and leaders along with aiding in other farm youth related programs.

Miss Krall attended Susquehanna University majoring in music and graduated from Millersville State College in December 1974 with a degree in elementary education and special education.

The Lebanon County miss was active in 4-H work for 10 years, being a member of the Cedar Crest Dairy Club and the Flintville Home Economics Club. She attended National 4-H Club Congress in 1970 as a winner in the dairy goods program and was active in the Lebanon County 4-H 'Teen Council. In addition to her 4-H program and has coordinated the Lebanon Area Fair. In 1972 she served as the Lebanon County Dairy Princess and will be the chairman of that event for this coming season.

Miss Krall graduated from Cedar Crest High School, where she was active in the music program, serving as accompanist for the choir and various musicals. She was a member of the National Honor Society, the yearbook staff and the Medical Careers Club.

As a member of the Tabor United Church of Christ, Miss Krall also directs the children choir and plays the organ.

As youth extension agent, Miss Krall will be working with Alletta Schadler, Cheryl Reitz, Denis Hoke and Newton Bair in the Lebanon Extension Service located in the Municipal Building at 400 S. Eighth St., Lebanon.

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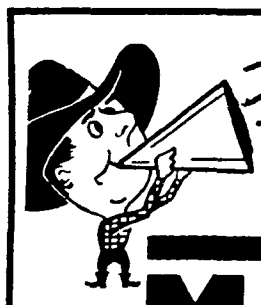

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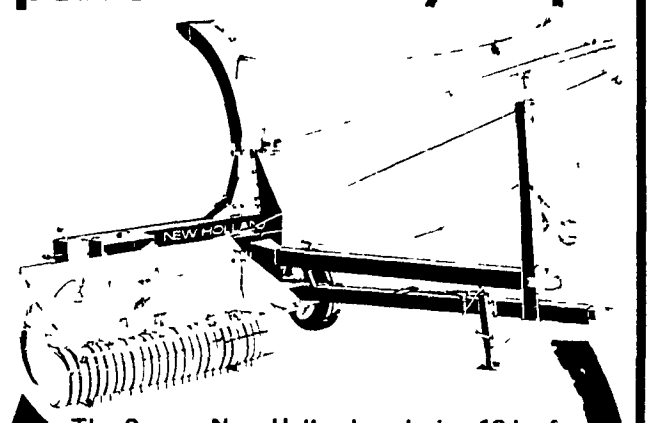

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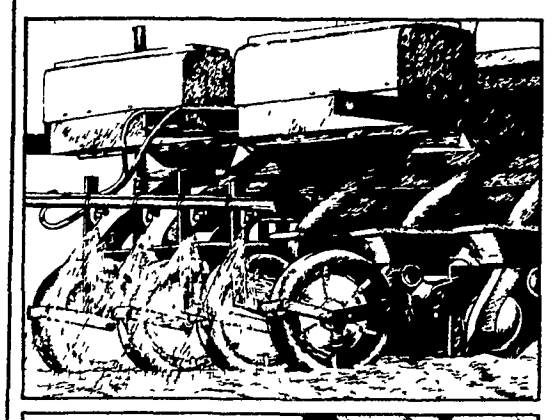

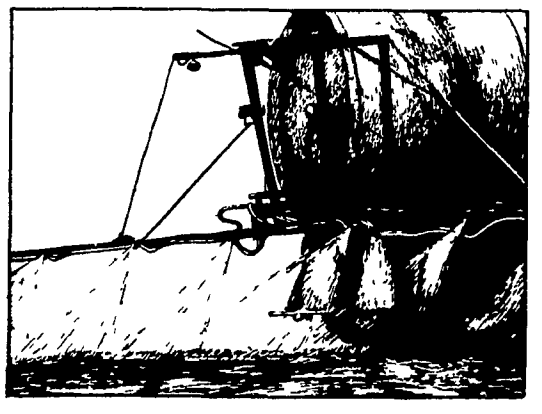

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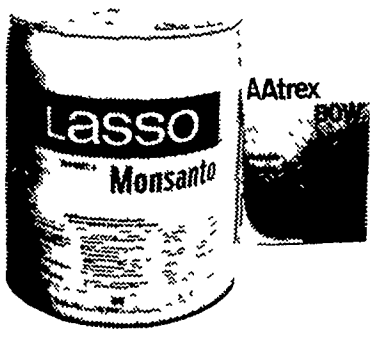

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Mini-Farm Meet

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responsible for drafting the organization's by-laws. "The purpose of the cooperative," Houser told the group, "is to provide economic, labor and education benefits for all members." Houser said membership dues had been set at $10 annually, and meetings were to be scheduled every other month.

Ed Moshier, the first vice-president, talked about cooperative food buying to give members the economic benefits of bulk purchases. He gave some examples of the kinds of savings members could realize (10-cents or more on a pound of sugar when bought in 100-lbs. bags, etc.). Moshier said that his committee would be trying to find out what members needed in sufficient quantities to purchase in bulk

Carol Morgan, Lancaster R2, told the group about her investigation into buying bulk quantities of seeds for gardening. Mrs. Morgan also explained the questionnaire that all who attended were asked to fill out. The form was designed to determine the needs and capabilities of the members and prospective members. Mrs. Morgan projected on a screen the questionnaire that she and her husband had completed as an example. It showed that the Morgans were professional artists and designers who'd had experience in organic gardening, laying hens, tree seedlings and greenhouse operation. They were willing to participate in a labor exchange and equipment rental, and they were interested in hearing from someone with knowledge of bees and hogs. They're willing to share their barn, potters wheel and greenhouse for worthy projects.

Treasurer Eugene Degenhardt discussed his investigations into feed and grain purchases. Buying in bulk by bags saved from one to six percent of the total cost, Degenhardt said.

Park Wiker, explained how he hoped labor exchange and equipment rental schemes would work. The original steering committee divided the county into four sections to make its easier for members to exchange labor and equipment. This was to make it easier for exchange, Wiker.

The next cooperative meeting has been set for Friday, May 23, at 8:00 p.m., again in the Coca Cola Plant. At that meeting, Arnold Lueck, associate Lancaster County agricultural agent, is expected to talk about ways in which the Penn State extension service can benefit mini-farmers.

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Baby Beef

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showing to other members. Even the "seasoned" youngsters on the show circuit often ask Gary's advice and respect his opinion.

Along with his baby beef projects, Gary has been a representative to the 4-H County Council and has attended and participated in both the Achievement Day and State Days. Gary was a member of the Exchange Trip to Maine last year and was committee chairman for the 4-H Expo from his club.

Last summer, Gary took part in a team demonstration pointing out the effects of using corn silage additives. The young farmer traveled to 4-H State Days at Penn State to present the award winning talk.

Gary has served as the news reporter and the treasurer for the Baby Beef Club since his initial membership.

A graduate of Hempfield High School, Gary also attended the Mt. Joy Vo-tech school where he majored in masonry. He was a member of the VICA club at Mt. Joy and was active in many of its activities.

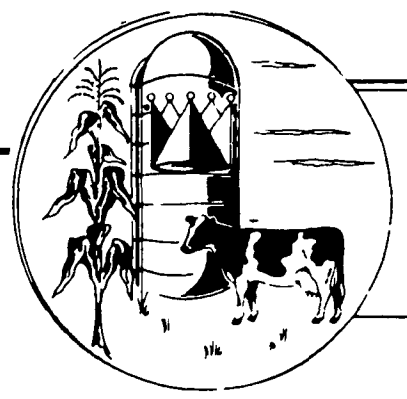
Gary is also president of the Rohrerstown Mennonite Church youth group and belongs to the Rohrerstown Fire Company.

The Brubaker's farm about 230 acres with Gary doing much of the labor required.

When asked what his duties as president of the large organization would be, Gary commented with a smile, "my job will be to make sure our Baby Beef club runs smoothly."

"It is a large county club with almost 14 different areas that blend into one group."

The job is certainly an important one, but Gary seems confident he can do the work required. With the responsibility and knowledge the young man has shown during his 4-H career, he seems well suited for the position. Gary has one other plus which certainly may be a help, since his sister Cathy will be backing him up as secretary of the Baby Beef Club.



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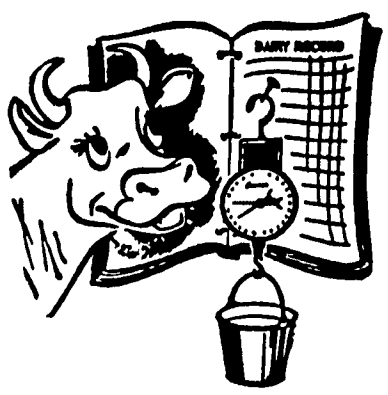

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February 1975

A cow in the herd of Larry L. Mertz recorded the highest butterfat production for the month of February. Number 35 produced 872 pounds of butterfat with 18,525 pounds of milk. Second high in production was Fayne, a cow in the Reu Hel Farms Inc. Fayne produced 824 pounds of butterfat and 25,603 pound of milk.

Muddy Creek Farm's herd registered the highest average per cow per day with 1.97 pounds with the herd of Kenneth Stutzman recording second high with 1.96 pounds.

The following is the Berks County DHIA Report for the month of February, 1975. Only those herds averaging 1.5+ per day or over are listed:

OWNER BREED	NO COWS	PER COW PER DAY	MONTH
Muddy Creek Farm RH	37.9	1.97	February
Kenneth L. Stutzman R&GH	39.0	1.96	February
Charles Plushanski R&GH	39.1	1.93	February
Glenn B. Gockley GH	29.0	1.92+	February
Ellis R. Kunkel RH	24.3	1.91	March
John H. Stump R&GH	46.1	1.88	February
F. M. Browns Sons Inc. R&GH	88.8	1.87	February
Louis E. Moyer RH	25.5	1.86	February
Charles R. Kissling RH	44.0	1.86	February
Paul E. Labe R&GH	82.6	1.85	January
Wernersville State Hospital R&GH	66.9	1.83	February
Mrs. M. M. Mertz R&GH	52.0	1.83	March
Stephen J. Janos R&GH	29.0	1.83	February
Andrew D. Stoltzfus R&GH	96.8	1.82	February
Richard R. Troutman R&GH	65.5	1.82	March
Peter Reiter R&GH	33.7	1.82+	February
Roger S. Buch RH	43.5	1.81	February
Clarence B. Kulp R&GMixed	52.3	1.81+	February
Junge Farms RH	87.0	1.81	February
Ray E. Bicksler RH	39.9	1.80	February
Daniel H. Schlegel R&GH	30.0	1.79	February
Charles W. Lamm R&GH	80.4	1.78	February
Omar Zook & Sons R&GH	41.7	1.74+	February
BRB Farm R&GH	41.1	1.74	February
Donald E. Landis R&GH	108.5	1.73	February
Robert C. Dresibach RJ	51.4	1.73	March
Clarence B. Kulp R&GMixed	51.8	1.72+	February
Peter Reiter R&GH	34.0	1.70+	February
Francis R. Moser R&GH	122.5	1.69+	February
Raymond B. Nolt R&GH	45.4	1.68	February
Joseph F. Walters R&GH	58.7	1.67+	February
Larry L. Mertz R&GH	53.7	1.67+	February
Willard Hamm R&GH	32.0	1.67	March
Harold N. Miller R&GMixed	38.5	1.66+	February
William G. Howerter R&GH	82.9	1.66	February
J. D. Rosenbaum & Son R&GH	78.6	1.65+	February
Paul H. Herbert RH	38.6	1.64	February
Daniel J. Harnish R&GH	78.3	1.64	February
Vista Grande Farm RH	65.0	1.64	February
James G. Stutzman R&GH	30.1	1.64	February
Reu Hel Farms Inc. R&GH	119.5	1.63	February
Richard R. Troutman R&GH	66.9	1.63	February
George S. Troutman Jr. R&GH	67.9	1.63+	February
Teen Chal Farm R&GH	79.3	1.63+	February
Ralph C. Richard RH	81.4	1.62	February
Ralph G. Sanner R&GH	54.3	1.62	February
Donald B. Duncan R&GH	71.7	1.61	February
Charles D. Moyer R&GH	95.3	1.61+	February
Leroy E. Howard R&GH	104.3	1.60	February
Leonard G. Stoltzfus RH	66.4	1.60	January
Robert Sittler GMixed	36.4	1.60	February
Clarence C. Sattazahn R&GH	89.1	1.60	February
Mark D. Bailey R&GH	30.7	1.59	February
Wilmer Dreibelbis R&GH	51.0	1.58	February
William C. Adams R&GH	111.7	1.57	February
Pinnacle View Dairy R&GH	47.4	1.57	February
Edward R. Haas R&GH	39.0	1.56	February
Robert L. Sattazahn R&GH	106.6	1.56	February
Blue Mtn. Academy R&GH	92.0	1.56+	February
J. Hershey Myer R&GH	42.0	1.55	February
Mark A. Wolfskill RH	62.2	1.55	February
Ernest C. Hoffman R&GH	57.0	1.55+	February
Donald M. Meyers R&GH	52.8	1.54	February
Way Har Farms R&GH	96.4	1.53+	February
Russell K. Dietrich R&GH	64.0	1.53	February
Roy Y. Stoltzfus R&GH	71.7	1.52	February
Kermit B. Staudt R&GH	24.0	1.52	February
Ontelynn Acres R&GH	91.5	1.51	February

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OWNER NAME OF NUMBER	BREED	AGE YR. MO.	DAYS IN MILK	LBS. MILK	LBS. BUTTERFAT
Norman J. Seidel					
Mitzie	H	9-9	305	13,925	552
Nona	H	6-1	305	14,929	584
Lady	H	4-10	305	14,913	624
Mel 24	H	2-6	305	14,976	559
Robert D. Seidel					
Jay	H	11-2	305	15,804	616
Mildred	H	10-2	305	14,310	655
Leda	H	8-2	305	20,650	778
Luella	H	7-2	305	18,391	664
Mabel	H	7-2	305	18,869	692
Marian	H	6-2	305	19,855	648
Harry A. Lutz					
Dixie	H	10	305	17,857	755
Nancy	H	7-1	302	15,233	600
Mark D. Bailey					
Meg	H	6-5	305	17,982	597
Freddie	H	3-8	305	14,433	558
E. Frank Stoltzfus					
Tricia	G	3-1	305	13,235	592
Leroy E. Howard					
Ada	H	12-6	305	16,551	622
Joanne	H	6-6	305	17,792	755
Lucy	H	5-5	305	15,919	605
Alta	H	4-9	305	19,677	696
Nancy	H	4-5	305	20,452	677
Pal	H	4-4	305	15,579	641
Rosy	H	2-2	305	15,687	566
Woodrow Werley					
228	H	5-8	305	17,075	617
Ro Ria Farms					
499	H	6-6	305	14,811	561
587	H	5-2	305	15,970	605
715	H	4-8	305	14,737	594
819	H	3-5	305	16,021	666
827	H	6	305	12,459	557
Ray M. Sattazahn					
Genifer	H	6-5	305	16,771	627
Marcia	H	5-2	305	17,853	632
J. Hershey Myer					
Lizzie	H	4-3	305	17,948	720
Agnes	H	4	305	15,050	676
Daniel J. Harnish					
Cardela	H	2-9	305	17,134	650
Ada	H	2-2	301	16,997	640
Wernersville St. Hosp.					
1334	H	5-3	305	20,721	777
1349	H	5-1	305	18,780	675
1404	H	3-6	305	18,215	821
Roger S. Buch					
Linda	H	8-7	305	18,686	751
Reu Hel Farms Inc.					
Royal	H	6-4	305	19,573	639
Fayne	H	7-1	305	25,603	824
Carmel	H	4-4	305	16,861	595
Louis E. Moyer					
Bambie	H	4-3	305	15,733	660
John F. Snyder					
Koren	H	7-11	285	12,236	557
Shell	H	6-6	305	14,478	561
Mark A. Wolfskill					
Norma	H	7-5	250	14,928	563
Rodger L. Wagner					
Quen	H	9-4	305	15,347	568
Linden Loch Holstein					
32	H	3-8	305	18,524	581
Wilmer Driebelbis					
Jane	H	7-7	305	16,987	686
Ginger	H	6-7	269	13,344	554
Charles W. Wagner					
Nan	H	5-4	305	12,319	559
Charles R. Kissling					
Marcia	H	4-5	305	17,681	698
Robert E. Kieffer					
Dorothy	H	5-4	305	15,919	674
Donald E. Landis					
83	H	2-11	287	14,264	590
107	H	2-6	305	13,855	570
Ralph G. Sanner					
Princes	H	6-4	305	16,524	626
Gladys	H	3	305	15,766	623
Charles W. Lamm					
Clara	H	6-1	289	12,654	564
Fanny	H	4-7	305	19,456	659
Lena	H	3-3	305	20,597	745
Pam	H	2	305	15,638	624
Kermit B. Staudt					
Jer	H	8-4	299	17,148	580
Leonard G. Stoltzfus					
Beryl	H	6-3	305	17,660	696
Libby	H	3-4	305	14,627	590
John W. Crossley					
19	H	3-8	305	15,051	623
Alfred E. Schmidt					
Mary	H	5-11	305	15,529	580
Ray W. Seidel					
Barbara	H	6-3	305	17,249	752
Ernest C. Hoffman					
Rita	H	7-4	305	15,737	716
Gigi	H	5-9	293	14,579	590
Eddie	H	5-3	305	18,418	686
Julia	H	5	295	17,675	603
Ker Min Farms					
Ivy	H	11-8	305	13,310	565
Frai	H	3-7	305	18,912	559
William G. Howerter					
Signa	H	8-6	305	17,143	610
Nook	H	5-11	305	15,743	594
Kandy	H	3-1	280	12,504	602
Ralph W. Haag					
Gloria	H	9-8	293	17,212	603
Betsy	H	4-5	302	16,499	590
Charles Plushanski					
Girl	H	7-10	305	20,940	724
Swatara Dairy Farm					
136	H	5-8	305	19,574	819
198	H	3-7	305	16,742	670
201	H	3-5	293	14,300	568
Stanley Deisemann					
11B	H	4-6	305	15,933	698
Lawrence E. Wieder					
150	H	4-2	305	13,810	571
Charles D. Moyer					
Gladys	H	3-6	305	13,484	614
Patty	H	6-9	282	14,663	599
Way Har Farms					
133	H	4-5	305	16,049	607

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John H. Stump					
Candy	H	10	305	17,346	714
Fern	H	7-1	305	17,243	739
Glenda	H	6-4	305	16,826	684
F. M. Browns Sons Inc.					
16	H	2-2	305	16,605	662
12	H	2-2	305	16,897	658
44	H	2-3	305	16,602	640
22	H	2-3	305	17,202	567
74	H	2-4	305	17,297	603
Edward R. Haas					
Jan	H	5-1	305	14,257	597
Raymond L. Kulp					
Pepper	H	5-5	305	13,369	577
Ralph & John C. Blatt					
One	H		305	14,937	562
Robin	H	5-4	305	15,941	590
Nettie	H	3-6	305	12,908	559
Richard H. Hoffman					
Sndot 29	H	5-5	305	18,053	553
Harry W. Naftzinger					
23	H	5-2	305	16,009	569
Andrew D. Stoltzfus					
Dutch	H	6-5	305	15,325	576
Darlene	H	11-9	305	19,614	664
Romance	H	5-4	305	18,564	715
Olive	H	5-3	295	16,845	737
Lass	H	4-2	305	17,594	556
Richard R. Troutman					
Violet	H	9-3	305	15,736	616
Lucy	H	9-2	305	16,878	631
Danie	H	7-8	305	21,806	680
Lucia	H	8-8	305	20,630	674
Blanch	H	6-9	305	20,188	750
Steward K. Trexler					
21	H	7-1	305	14,810	586
Harold G. Heck					
Bonnie 2	H	6-10	301	16,708	608
Bretta	H	6-1	305	18,360	739
Agnes	H	4-1	305	16,568	613
Larry L. Mertz					
35	H	5-4	305	18,525	872
Mervin Brubaker					
Linda 19	H	4-4	305	20,951	799
Horny 46	H	6	305	20,673	554
Francis R. Moser					
Aggy 124	H	8-2	305	20,120	772
83	H	8-10	305	16,574	571
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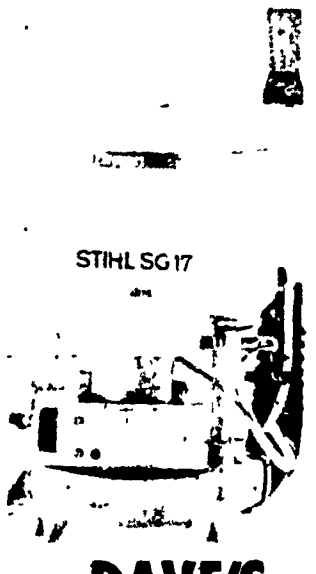

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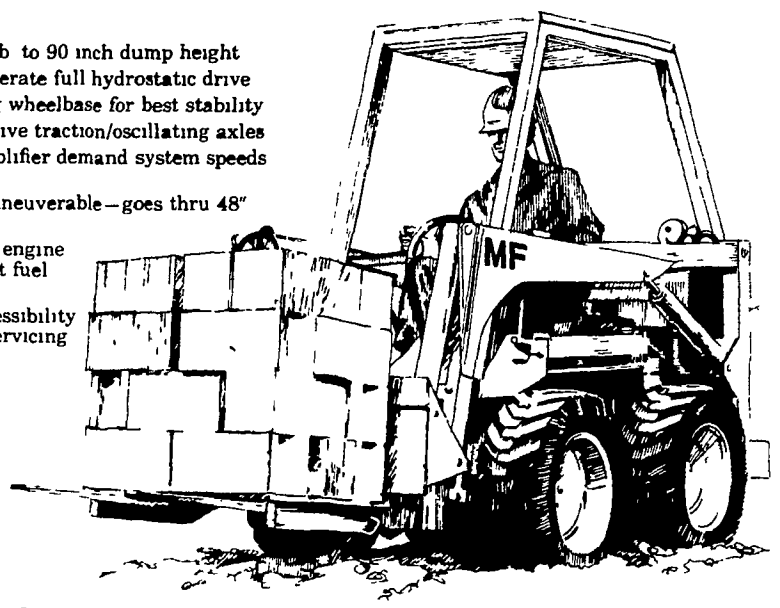

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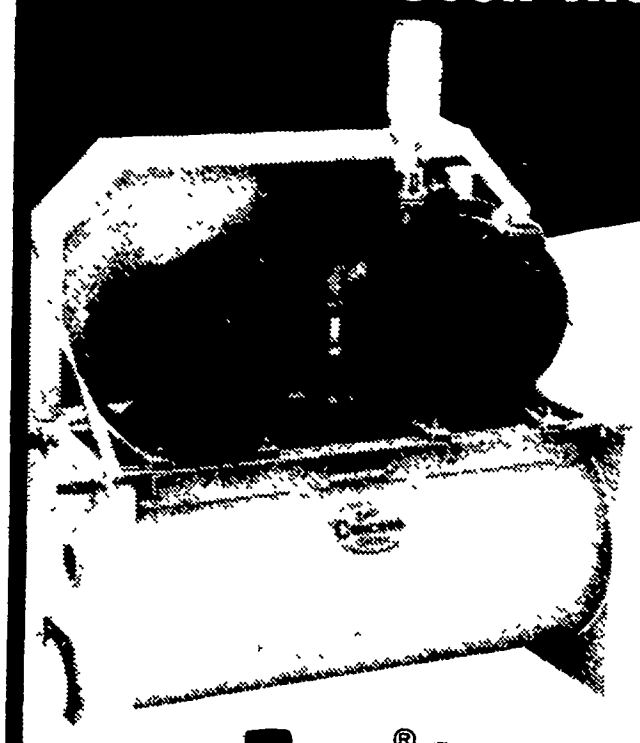

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farmland than from an acre of land undergoing development, but there are a lot more acres in farming. We normally lose 4.5 million tons of topsoil a year in Pennsylvania. In Agnes, we lost 6 million tons in five days."

The biggest reason for saving soil, Schadel pointed out, wasn't because of a government mandate. The biggest reason was the need for careful soil sterwardship, to safeguard the tin layer of topsoil in which all crops grow. "Conservation practices can also save fertilizer, humus and lime," Schadel added, "so conservation doesn't really cost you money. It saves money."

Schadel urged the farmers to get in touch with the Soil Conservation Service office to ask them for a conservation plan. "SCS people will draw up a plan for you and it won't cost a cent," he said. "Or you can do it yourself it you know what you're doing, or you can pay an engineer $500 to $600 to do it for you. I will say, though, that if you have a plan from the SCS, and if you're following it, there's no chance that the DER will ever cite you for violating the Clean Streams Law."

A farmer in the audience asked, "Once we have these plans, who will pay for building all the terraces?"

"The farmer would," Schadel replied, "but chances are he wouldn't even need terraces. SCS doesn't tell you want to put on your farm. They ask you what your farming program is, and then they recommend ways to keep the soil on your fields. Conservation practices usually call for more common sense than money. You might be able to solve whatever erosion problems you have with crop rotations, contour strips or sod waterways. These practices don't cost that much and they're easy to apply. Terraces are actually a last resort."

"Can we go to jail if we don't complay with the law?" another farmer asked.

"There are sanctions built inot the program," Schadel replied. "But they're aimed more at urban developers than at farmers."

"What happens if I draw up my own plan and somebody thinks it's not good enough?" was another question from the audience.

"If we get a complaint about the way your conservation practices are working, the local Conservation District people will look at the plan. If they say it's all right, then there's no problem. If they recommend changes in your plan, and if you accept the changes, then there's no problem either. Actually, there's going to be very little pressure at all on farmers. The Clean Streams Law might affect that small minority, less than one percent, who want to do as they please no matter how much it hurts their neighbors."

Schadel said that the DER at present has no plans for any kinds of courses which would teach farmers how to draw up their own conservation plans. He did say that conservation discticts throughout the state would be working with local vo-ag teachers to set up seminars for farmers who wanted to learn more about erosion control.

When Schadel had finished, Dr. Robert Herr, head of Garden Spot's vo-ag department, told the group that the services of Robert Andersen, a vo-ag teacher in the district, would be available at no cost for any farmer who wants a conservation plan drawn up. Before coming to Garden Spot, Andersen was employed by the SCS as a soil conservationist in western Pennsylvania.

Henry Hackman, executive assistant with the Lancaster County Conservation District, ended that meeting by telling the farmers that the real issue was not the money spent on conservation, but the stewardship of the soil. "Once erosion has taken away more soil than nature can replace," Hackman said, "we'll be on the rocks. Because that's all that's under the soil."

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While proposals to make college expenses tax deductible remain in the talk stage, some education costs can be deducted: those paid for courses necessary to maintain or improve skills used in one's job. Be sure the course doesn't prepare you for a promotion or a new position, though; that could eliminate the tax deduction.

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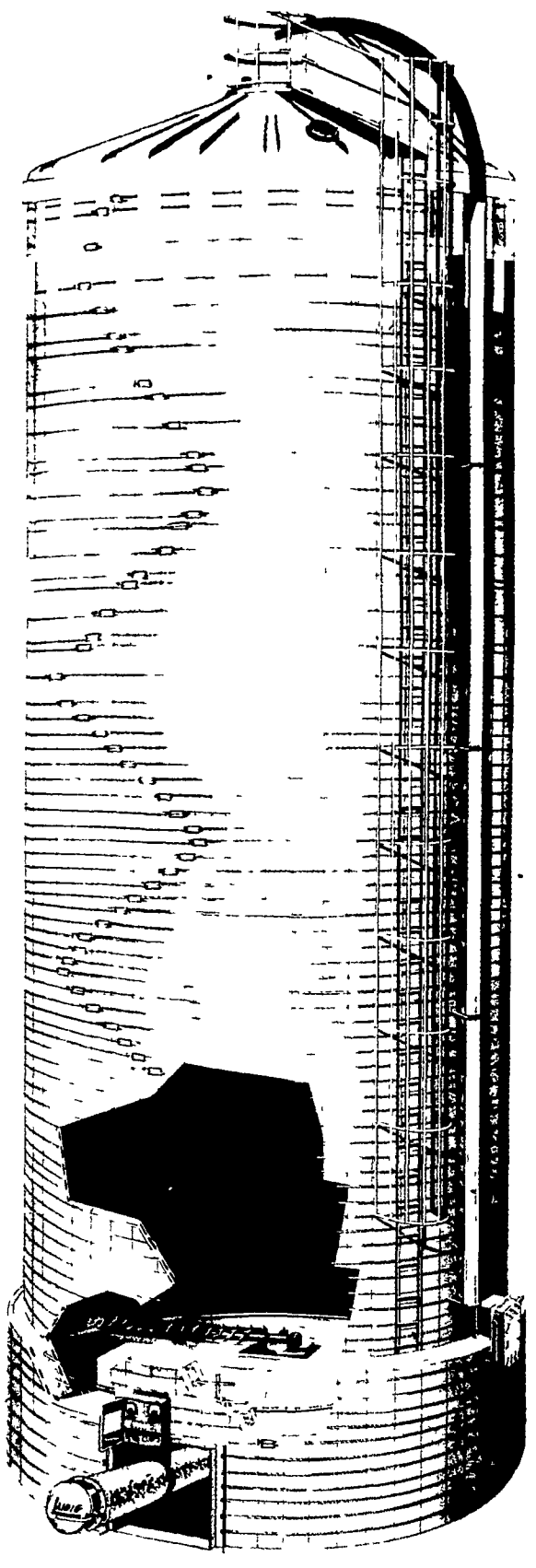

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27% of Doctors Say They Won't Practice Under Nat'l Medicine

The results of a survey taken by "Private Practice," a medical journal, and published in its March issue may contain some startling medical news. Asking its physician-readers their opinions on National Health Insurance, the magazine came up with some answers that may cause the Congressional proponents of NHI to have second thoughts about the wisdom of this controversial national program.

The survey showed that 197,480 doctors oppose National Health Insurance and that 57,820 doctors will refuse to practice under nationalized medicine. It also shows that 20,237 doctors of all ages will retire rather than practice under NHI, and that 37,583 doctors will continue to care for non-NHI patients, or will give up medicine and seek some other kind of work, or will enter full-time medical work not involving responsibility for patient care.

The magazine took the survey because it doubted a poll made in fall, 1974 of New York City-area physicians by the Columbia University School of Public Health, which claimed that 56 percent of doctors support NHI.

According to Francis A. Davis, MD, who wrote the article on results of the survey in the March "Private Practice": The results proved to us that physicians are worried about NHI, since 28,014 busy doctors took the time to fill out and return their questionnaires."

Dr. Davis said that the survey sponsors tabulated the first 26,434 answers—"far more doctors than have ever participated in a survey on this subject"—and because of the age, speciality, state and sex distribution of the doctors who responded, he believes these 26,434 to be an accurate sampling of the nation's 212,573 physicians.

While the famous national opinion polls extrapolate from a base of some 1,500 persons, "Private Practice" extrapolated from its own sample to obtain the total figures.

According to Dr. Davis, although there was some differences by age, speciality, geographical region, and sex, "we found great unanimity among physicians on these questions, despite what the Columbia and similar surveys have reported."

On the question: "Do you believe the Federal government should pay the medical bills for all your private patients whose care is not now defrayed by some governmental agency?" - the overall results were 7.1 percent yes, 92.9 percent no. In other words, Dr. Davis states, 197,480 doctors oppose NHI.

The highest percentage of "no" votes - 95 percent - was among physicians over 70, but doctors under 30 also said no by 83.2 percent to 16.8 percent. All other age groups said "no" by 83.2 to 16.8 percent.

And doctors in all areas of the country strongly oppose NHI, from a high of 96.7 percent in the East South Central states to a "low" of 84.3 percent in New England.

As in the Columbia survey, Dr. Davis continued, we found general and family practitioners most adamantly against a federal takeover of medical care - 94 percent and 94.5 percent respectively. Psychiatrists were most in favor, but even 85.6 percent of the psychiatrists opposed NHI.

Although NHI has proven disastrous to the helath and national budget of every country where it's been tried, our survey shows that the results in the United States could be infinitely worse, Dr. Davis says.

"Whenever an economic good is offered by the government at a price lower than the free market would set, demand skyrockets, making the good scarcer and the price higher. We have seen it work with Medicare and Medicaid, but NHI will be significantly worse," he said.

"Under present conditions, there are 212,573 private, office-based physicians to treat patients. Some say there is a doctor shortage. But if NHI is enacted the number of doctors treating patients will drop precipitously, putting a dangerous burden on the remaining physicians. Medical care will be much harder to get, and much more expensive, even though most of the additional costs will be financed through taxation rather than our-of-pocket fees," he said.

For proof of this apocalyptic statement he points to this question from the survey: "If Congress enacts a nationalized medical program, will you continue to practice under such a program?"

Although 72.8 percent said "yes," an astounding 27.2 percent said "no," Dr. Davis said. "In other words, if NHI is indeed an idea whose time has come, then 57,820 doctors will refuse to participate. Imagine what will happen to American medical care - hitherto the best in the world - if we lose over 27 percent of our doctors. These will be the doctors we can least afford to lose - the primary care physicians of which, says Congress, we already have too few."

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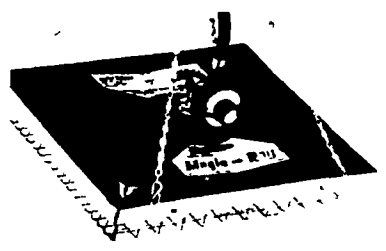

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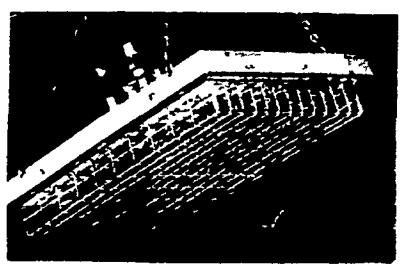

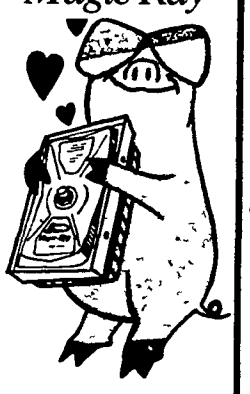

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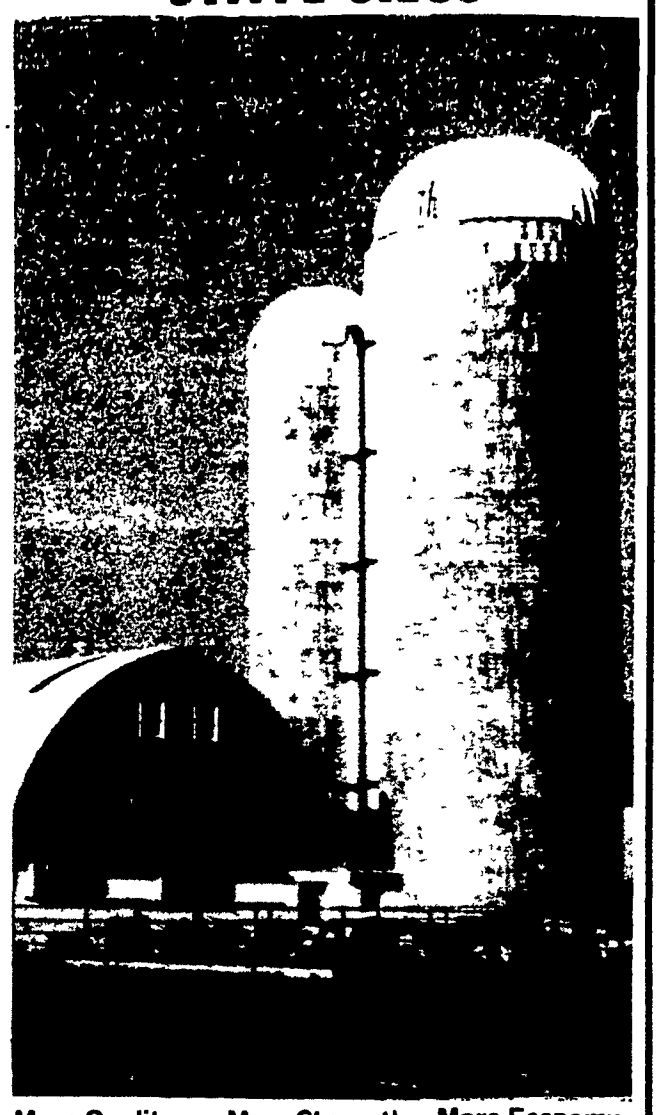

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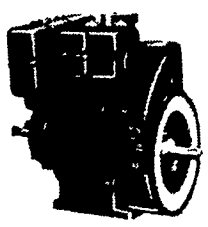

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The issue of welfare reform is still with us as it has been ever since I came to Congress in 1967. Therefore, I think it is my responsibility to continue to explore avenues to accomplish that reform in the proper direction.

One of the areas that I have found disturbs great numbers of my constituents is welfare work requirements. There is a general feeling that no one should collect welfare who is able to work. To my way of thinking that logic should be carried even further than some people are willing to go and we should require that persons on welfare should be required to take any job offered them that they are capable of doing, not just jobs that happen to be in their particular line of work.

To that end, I recently introduced legislation which, if passed, would force both the Labor Department and the Department of Health, Education and Welfare to put such a requirement in their welfare regulations. Under my proposal, a person collecting welfare would have to take any job available that he or she was physically and mentally capable of performing. It would stop this nonsense of allowing welfare to support people who are unwilling to consider good, honest work that happens to be outside their area of specialty. The taxpayers - many of who are working at jobs which are not their first choice either - cannot afford to continue this inequitable system.

In addition to my own bills, I have joined more than fifty other Congressmen in introducing a comprehensive welfare reform measure that is aimed primarily at correcting deficiencies in the Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) program AFDC is both the nation's most costly welfare program and the one most subject to abuse What our bill intends to do is close the loopholes and end the abuses that are costing us so many tax dollars. All told, it has been estimated that a toal of $1.8 billion could be saved if this legislation is enacted.

There are several specific things that the National Welfare Reform Act sets out to achieve. First, it is designed to stop the practice of permitting persons with relatively high incomes to remain on the welfare rolls.

Second, it would eliminate ineligible people from the rolls and curtail opportunities for fraud.

Third, it would require that the outside resources available to recipients be carefully identified and that they be calculated into the need formula.

Fourth, it would base its provisions on the concept of family responsibility and strengthen child support requirements thus making absentee fathers pick up their fair share of the cost of raising a child rather than throwing the burden to the taxpayer.

Fifth, it would strengthen work requirements and give the States greater opportunity to develop programs designed to move people back to self-sufficiency

While there is considerable doubt that these welfare ideas will get serious consideration in this Congress, we must make the effort In there times of rising costs and dwindling confidence, our welfare system stands as a prime example of government failure both for those in real need and for those who must pay the bill It must be changed

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Dr. Lockey is world renouned for his work in all types of allergies. He recently addressed an allergy symposium in Paris, France. Dr Lockey has an office on West End Avenue in Lancaster.

The discussion and talk will include information on the risks of beekeeping and the signs of severe systematic anaphylaxis Interested people are welcome to attend.

A beekeeper's business meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m. prior to Dr. Lockey's address. The program committee has planned a series of seasonal meetings oriented toward the beginning and prospective beekeepers.

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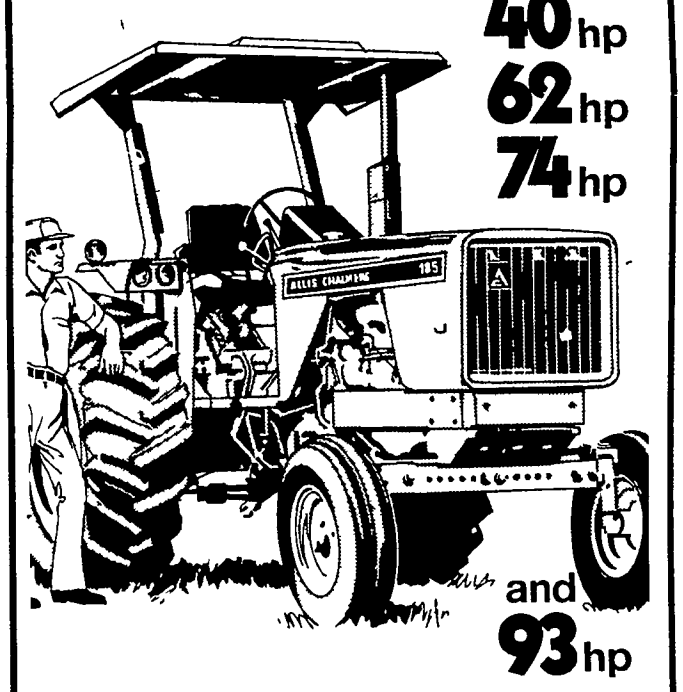

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The Sixth Plate - Will We Have Food To Fill It?

by Clair Gerberich
Executive Assistant
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Conservation District

Today there is an increasing world population of nearly 4 billion people! Increasing world population, perhaps a population explosion would better describe the upward trend in population. Today there are some 213,000 more mouths to feed than were fed yesterday! 213,000 more to feed tomorrow than were fed today! By the year 2000 there will be approximately six (6) billion mouths to be fed in this world.

A fifty (50) percent increase in population to feed! In other words, Clair Gerberich, Executive Assistant, Lebanon County Conservation District, says there will be six plates to fill for every four that are kept supplied today.

The American farmer is admirably stocking the supermarket shelves of the world. Political consideration by nations that intercept distribution channels are the major cause of starvation deaths around the world today. Restrictions on exports of food stuffs, with the thought of holding down domestic prices will cloud the production picture of the future.

American farm land has been and will continue to be the bread basket of the world. Undeveloped nations experienced an 0.3 percent increase in food production in the decade 1962-1972. In developing countries American agricultural expertise has been largely rejected. They prefer to develop industrially and depend on the American farmer to fill their food shopping carts.

Given an equitable political and economic climate the American farmer will respond to world food demands. Meeting the demands for domestic and export food needs will place unprecedented demands on the soils of the country.

To maintain the productivity of the soils, to fill that sixth plate of the future, will require the application of wisdom, skill, financial resources and technology.

One of the technologies available to farmers today is that of soil conservation. Soil conservation concerns itself with using the decreasing land resource as efficiently as possible while protecting the soil from erosion. The soil conservationist, a trained professional in the many disciplines of the environment, will devise methods to produce crops and at the same time protect the soil from the elements.

Techniques that increase yields do not necessarily prevent erosion. As yields have been increased, so have the tons of soil eroded from our farm land.

Annual soil losses of 12 tons of soil per acre from cultivated crop land are excessive. Just because a soil is deep and well drained and produces a good crop today does not assure that this soil can produce indefinitely. An all-out effort on the part of everyone is needed to conserve the soil resources, and achieve a favorable, political, and economic climate. This unified effort will assure the capacity of the land to produce, and the commitment of the farmer to produce the food for that sixth plate.

The Lebanon County Conservation District will assist all landusers in developing conservation plans for their land at no charge. So that they too can make a commitment to fill the sixth plate of the future, the Lebanon County Conservation District can be reached at 272-6621, Extension 407.

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Saturday, April 5

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Thursday, April 10

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Saturday, April 12

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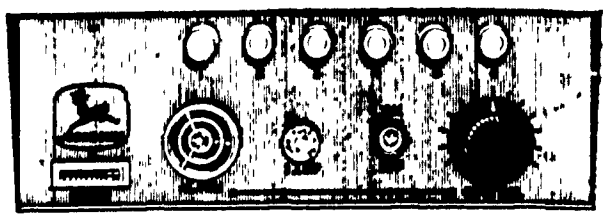

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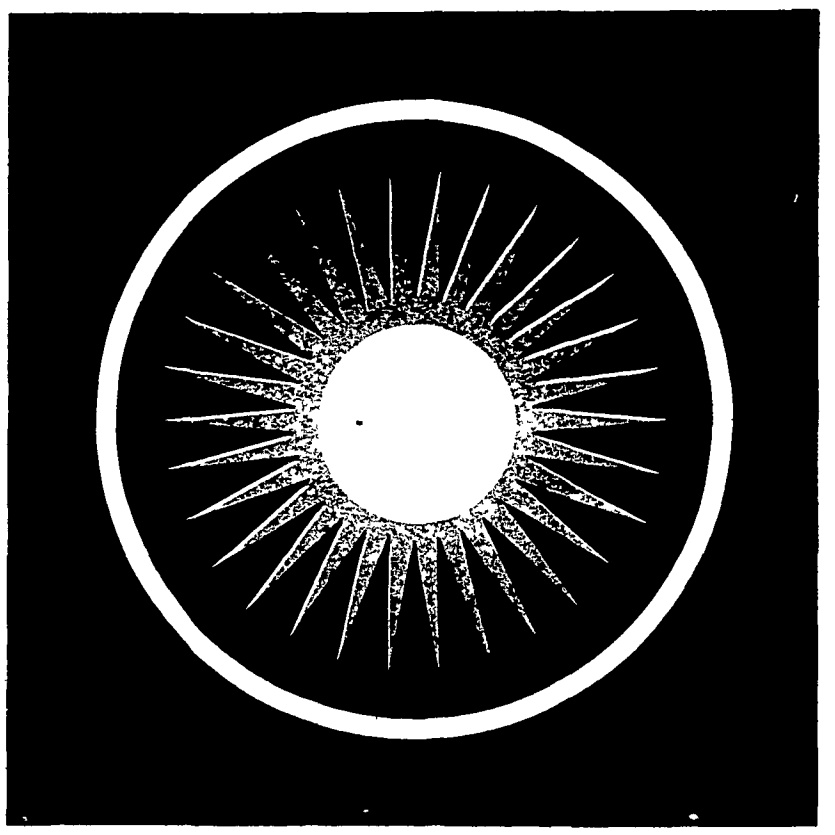

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Ag Outlook

Less Milk

USDA economists expect milk production to run below year-earlier levels through the first half of 1975 as dairy farmers reduce feeding of high-cost grains and concentrates. Out put later in the year will depend largely on 1975 crop conditions and subsequent feed prices, on milk prices, and on the cattle market. Slaughter cow prices are likely to stay relatively low throughout 1975, which will limit incentives for a sharp increase in herd culling.

Cost-Price Squeeze To Continue

The cost-price squeeze facing farmers will probably be with dairy farmers for several more months, at least. The milk-feed price ratio (pounds of feed equal in value to 1 pound of milk) dropped to 1.1 in August 1974, the lowest in 20 years. Although things have gotten slightly better since then, USDA economists expect the ratio to continue relatively unfavorable to heavy grain and concentrate feeding through midyear.

And a Whey We Go

USDA researchers in Maryland have developed a new method of utilizing acid whey, a byproduct of soft cheese production (especially cottage cheese). Bitter to the taste and difficult to dehydrate, acid has heretofore posed a difficult disposal problem. Now the Maryland researchers have come up with a new process of using yeast to ferment acid whey. The process distills off ethyl alcohol and yields a nutritious liquid containing high-quality protein. Thus, acid whey can be converted into two highly salable products—an alcohol which has already been used in mixed drinks as a substitute for vodka and protein-containing liquid which can be dehydrated and used as a nutritious food

Farmers' Finances

The financial condition of farm operators this year is expected to change little from 1974, according to USDA economists, although a modest increase in the number of operators having debt repayment problems is likely. Demand for operating and real estate loans will probably remain strong but demand for intermediate-term financing (for machinery, equipment, and livestock) is expected to slacken. The economists anticipate some decline in interest rates during first half 1975, though they note the reduction probably won't be more than ½ to 1 percentage point under first half 1974 interest levels

Debt Details

Net flows of loan funds to farmers are forecast at $14 to $17 billion during 1975, a $3 to $6 billion increase over 1974. Total debt outstanding January 1, 1976 is forecast by USDA economists to reach $108 to $111 billion. However, farmers' total assets are expected to rise to $598 to $608 billion [illegible] and leave the debt-to asset ratio next January 1 at 18 percent, about the same as the start of 1975.

Waste Not Waste

USDA soil scientists recently reported that crop yields nearly doubled as a result of applications of sewage sludge and sludge compost on fields before crops were planted, although some experiments showed that adverse results can be expected under certain conditions. According to the scientists, total corn yields (both grain and forage) of 2,765 pounds per acre resulted from applications of 71 tons of compost per acre. Yields were only half—1,427 pounds and acre—in plots treated with 108 tons of uncomposted sludge an acre Water retention in the soil increased with greater applications of sludge and compost--and the highest application rates adversely affected soil aeration. Other tests with sludge and compost are being made with soybeans and vegetables by other scientists with USDA's Agricultural Research Service.

U.S. Farm Export Outlook

High prices are expected to give the United States another excellent export year during fiscal 1975--pushing our sales value into the neighborhood of $22 billion despite an expected drop of around 20 percent in export volume. About three-fourths of the export value will come from grains and feeds, where trade experts project a slight gain to $11.2 billion, and oilseeds and products, which are expected to gain some $600 million from last year to about $5.8 billion

World Agricultural Output

Despite a critical tightening in grain supplies and localized slumps in farm production in the United States and other areas, a preliminary estimate of world agricultural production by USDA economists places 1974 on a par with 1973. One factor offsetting reduced grain production in developed countries was increased livestock output. On a index basis, the developed countries in 1974 showed a slight decrease in total and per capita production, while the less developed countries showed a decline in per capita production but an increase in total farm output

A Fishy Story

Although still a comparatively new type of agriculture "acquaculture" now covers an acreage equal to half of the acres devoted to farming in Delaware. A Soil Conservation Service summary of fish farming activity in the United States reveals that there were 2,372 commercial catfish enterprises covering 259,128 acres as of April 1974. There were 935 trout farms with 4,214 acres of trout; 853 minnow farms with 48,899 acres of commercial minnow production; and 564 other fish farms with 31,045 acres in 34 other kinds of fish. About 3,740 enterprises offer fee-fishing recreation for interested fishermen.

A New U.S. Industry By 1976?

Food manufacturers are looking with interest at a newly developed chemical peeling process for water chestnuts, which just might give impetus to a domestic U.S. water chestnut industry. The water chestnut is a tropical plant that has been successfully paddy-cultivated in many coastal areas of the United States and produces an enormous yield of 16,000 to 40,000 pounds per acre. But the high cost of hand peeling corms has dampened commercial enthusiasm for the crop. Consequently, we import most of our water chestnut needs from Taiwan Last year in-shipments totaled 18 million pounds, double those of 4 years earlier USDA researchers indicate that domestically grown and processed water chestnuts could be available at a fraction of the current price for imported corms.

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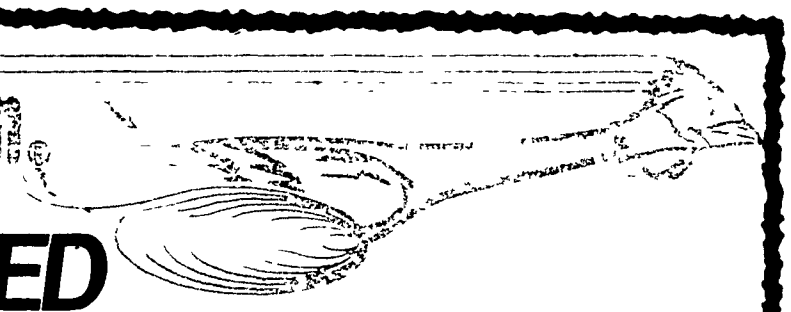

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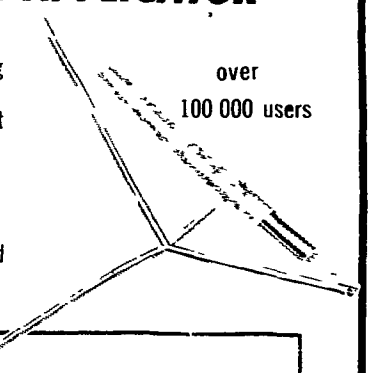

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Soybean Leaders On Mexican Tour

Hilyard S. Simpkins of Allentown, New Jersey, President of the Mid-Atlantic Soybean Association, departed March 3 to study soybean markets and production in three Latin American countries.

He is participating as the Mid-Atlantic soybean state's representative on the Soybean Presidents Mission to Mexico, Colombia and Brazil, where the U. S. group will meet with industry and government officials to explore ways to help increase the use of soybeans in these countries

The mission participants include presidents or officers of 23 state soybean associations and the executive committee of the American Soybean Association. Sponsor of the Mission is Elanco Products Company, manufacturer of Treflan soybean herbicide.

In Mexico City, the mission group will review progress of a joint Mexico-U.S. project working to enrich the protein content of Mexican diets by using soy flour as a supplement to corn meal and wheat flour in traditional foods.

The meetings in Colombia will be exploratory, with the aim of increasing the use of U.S. soybenas there.

In Brazil, the group will inspect the new soybean crop, now approaching maturity in the field, and evaluate Brazil's future as a soybean producer.

Simpkins manages a certified soybean seed farm cooperative near Allentown. He is responsible for contracting approximately 1,500 acres of soybeans annually.

Active in agriculture, Simpkins is a member of the Agricultural Society of New Jersey, the New Jersey Horticultural Society, the Burlington County Board of Agriculture and the Plant Food Society of America. In addition, he is Vice President of the Farmers and Mechanics Savings & Loan Association, and on the Board of Directors of the Mid-Atlantic Soybean Association.

He and his wife, Natalie, have three sons, Bradford, Gerald and Hilyard II.

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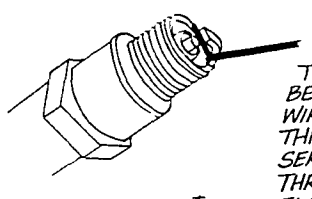

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Wild Garlic Bites Into Grain Profit

Small grain farmers are risking a multi-million dollar loss if they neglect control of contaminating weeds in this year's crop.

Wild garlic alone cost East Coast wheat growers millions of dollars last year, according to an estimate by University of Delaware extension crops marketing specialist, Roger Ginder.

This loss came as a result of market dockages for wheat contaminated by wild garlic bulblets, which were harvested with the grain. "This was the largest loss from wild garlic contamination that we've ever had," said Ginder, "but it could be even greater this year because we're growing more wheat."

University of Delaware extension agronomist, Dr William H. Mitchell, says wild garlic can be controlled in small grain by the use of the herbicide 2,4-D. This material should be applied in a broadcast spray only. It should be put on after the grain has fully tillered but before it begins to joint. This usually is when the grain is four to eight inches high. For Delaware grain growers, that means control measures must be taken soon, to be effective.

Mitchell says two points of 2,4-D amine per acre can be used, or one and a half pints of the low volatile ester form of 2,4-D may be applied where drift from the spray will not reach susceptible crops or plants.

The herbicide can be applied with water or with liquid nitrogen. The ester form can be mixed directly with liquid nitrogen, but the amine form must be mixed with four parts of water before it is added to the nitrogen. Container label directions should be closely followed in all cases.

The objective of these control measures is to reduce aerial bulblet formation of wild garlic. A single head of wild garlic may contain as many as 300 of these bulblets.

The presence of substantial amounts of garlic in wheat automatically classifies it as feed wheat and it cannot be used for milling into flour.

Loads with greater than 36 bulblets were docked at even higher rates, says Ginder. Buyers reported finding as many as 600 bulblets per 1000 grams (roughly two pounds) in some grain samples last year. In some cases, a price was negotiated based on the feed value and price of corn at that time. In a few Delaware fields garlic contamination was so great that grain was not even harvested.

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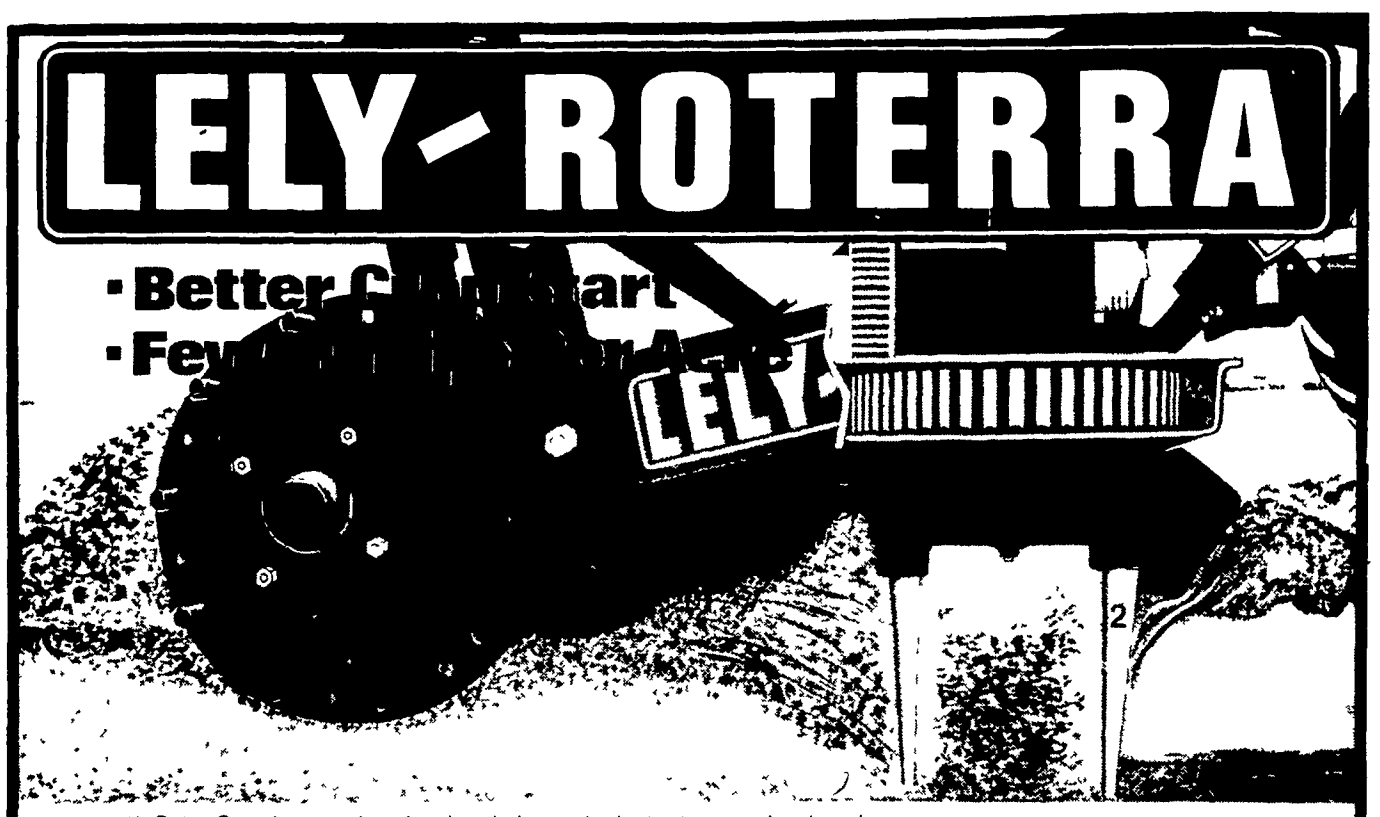

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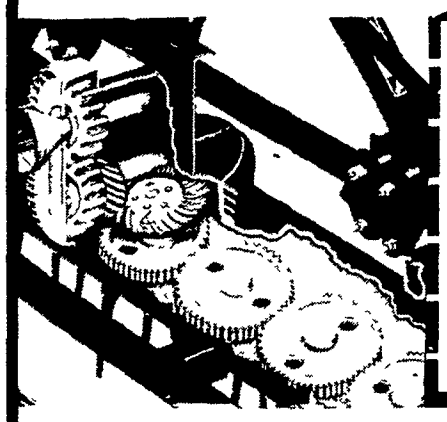

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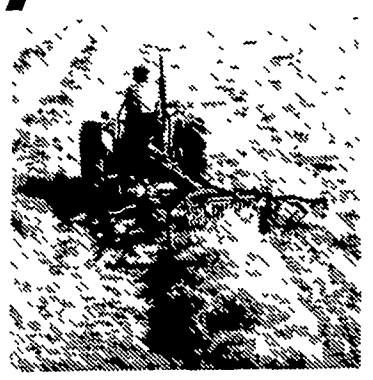

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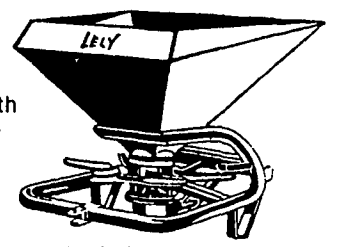

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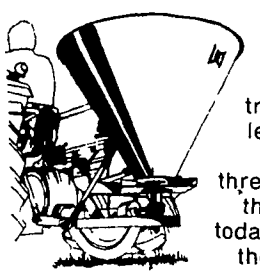

Slum Explosion Hits World's Urban Areas

UNITED NATIONS (WPNS) - "All the big cities of mankind are sliding into chaos, the Greek city planner, Constantine Doxiadis, wrote a few years ago.

According to a new United Nations study, the cities of the developing world are sliding faster than the rest.

One-third of the urban population in all developing countries now lives in slums and squatter settlements, according to the UN. Third World slums are growing on the average at 15 percent a year.

The limited resources of most governments preclude providing finished housing for the masses of people in these settlements even at minimal standards, says the UN.

Lack of Planning

A prime cause of the slum explosion in the developing world, according to the UN is the lack of adequate urban planning. Two-thirds of the entire world urban population lives in communities that have no comprehensive development planning mechanisms.

"In many countries where plans exist," states the UN report, "the institutional organizational framework is inadequate for their implementation and they have remained ineffective guides for development."

The UN study is part of the 1974 Report on the World Social Situation, which was presented to the Commission for Social Development at its 24th session last month.

Third World cities are growing three and four times as fast as the over-all population. In countries where bad weather and natural disasters have decimated agricultural production, migration from the countryside to the cities is still higher.

Cities Overwhelmed

The human tide has overwhelmed city governments. Even in developed countries such as the United States, city authorities are hard pressed to cope with rising problems such as crime, pollution, energy shortages, transportation tie-ups and decay of housing

But in the underdeveloped countries, notes the UN report, the traditional range of public services, utilities and welfare programs that are taken for granted in the wealthier countries are almost totally lacking.

The UN study views the city as the "catalyst" of the modernization process. To a large extent, that is true for the developed world, where large scale urbanization was accompanied by industrialization. But the large cities of the developing countries have materialized ahead of any systematic movement toward modernization.

Unemployment

Unemployment and underemployment is significantly higher in the cities of developing countries than in cities of the industrialized world. Some developing countries report urban unemployment rates in excess of 50 percent.

The growth of urban slums reflects the critical housing shortage in the Third World. The UN study found that the global housing shortage worsened during the first UN Development Decade. Very few countries, says the study, attained the target of 10 new dwelling units per year per 1,000 inhabitants.

At present, the registered housing deficit throughout the world is increasing by more than four million dwelling units per year. Since that figure represents only the deficit monitored by official government agencies, the actual shortage is much greater.

Shanty Towns Spread

The result is the spread of slums and shanty towns in nearly all developing countries, from the "bustees" of Calcutta, to the "callampas" or mushroom towns of Chile.

UN officials acknowledge that no long term solution to urban crowding and decay is possible without a reduction in population growth rates. For the short term, however, improvement in agricultural productivity and living conditions in the rural areas might help to stem the urban tide.

In the cities themselves, the UN report urges self-help housing and cooperative housing projects, as well as strict regulation of land use to prevent speculation.

But, as Sophocles observed, "Cities are people." As long as the number of people keep multiplying rapidly, urban problems will rise apace.

Consumers' Corner

NEW CREDIT LAWS

Numerous new laws dealing with consumer credit are fast becoming effective Among the highlights of legislation passed by the last Congress, and signed by the President

Under the Equal Opportunity Act, sex discrimination is banned in the granting of credit Historically stores, lending institutions, and credit card companies have often denied credit to applicants simply because they were women This is now illegal Women applying for credit must now be judged, as male applicants are on the basis of whether they have steady incomes and qualify in other respects as good credit risks

The Fair Credit Billing Act assures new credit rights to all consumers If a consumer notifies a creditor about a computer error in the statement for his credit account, the creditor must respond within 30 days to the consumer's inquiry and must resolve the problem within 90 days

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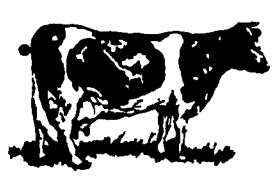

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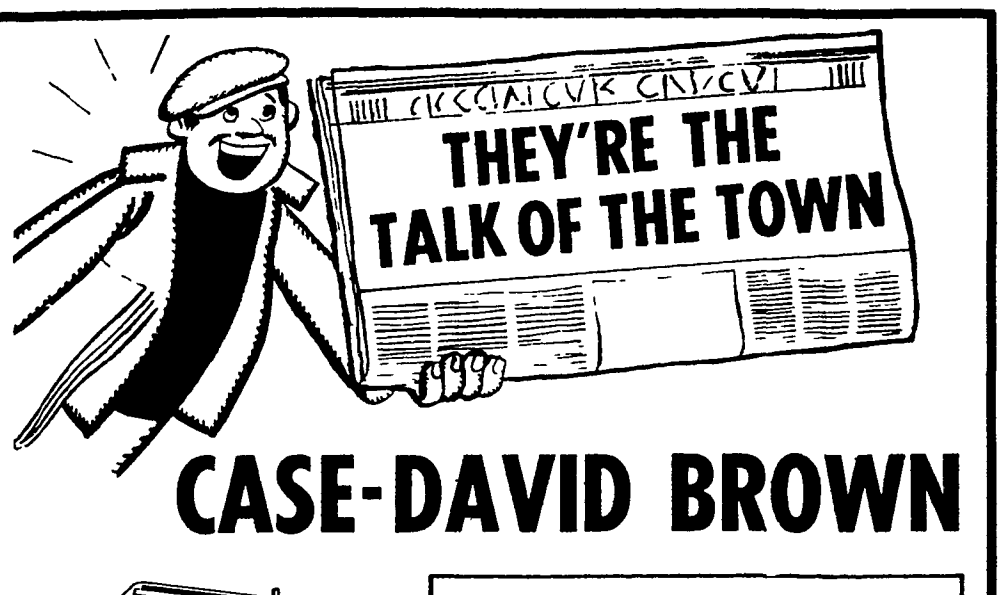

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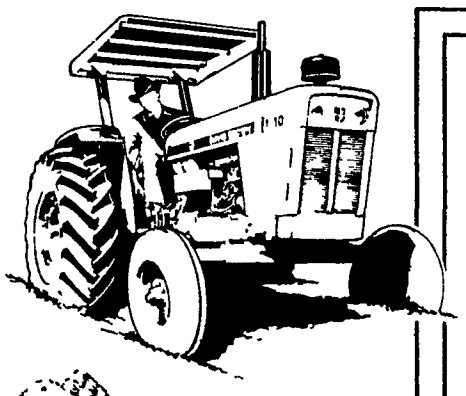

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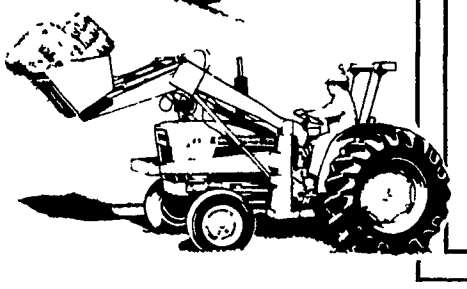

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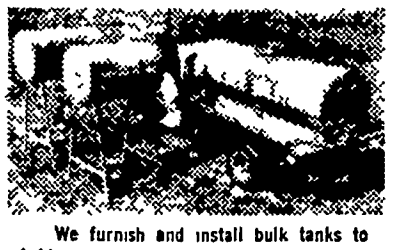

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York FFA Project Winners Announced

Following are the York County FFA State Project Book winners in the recently held contest.

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William Brice, Wildlife Conservation also Southeast Division Winner - Silver Award.

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Robert Gross, 2 Enterprises - Gold Award; Eddie Ailes, 2 Enterprises - Bronze Award; Steven Wilson, 3 Enterprises - Silver Award; Larry Robinson, 7 Enterprises - Silver Award; Ed Hulehart, Swine Fattening - Gold Award; Terry Murphey, Wildlife Conservation also 3rd place State Division Winner - Gold Award; Steven Wilson, Off-Farm Work Exp. - Silver Award.

Red Lion

Tim Eveler, Beef Finishing - Bronze Award; Keith Sechrist, Dairy Calves - Bronze Award; Dean Innerst - Dairy Heifers - Silver Award; Earl Holtzinger, 5 Enterprises - Gold Award; Dave Amspacher, 8 Enterprises also Production Credit Assoc. - County Winner; Richard Kilgore, Poultry Meats - Bronze Award; Wayne Bankert, Swine Breeding - Gold Award; Doug Taylor, Swine Fattening - Bronze Award; Tom Arnold, Vegetable Garden - Bronze Award.

South Western

Claude Warner, Off-Farm Work - Silver Award.

White Rose (Vo-Tech)

Donna Grim, Horticulture - Gold Award; Cindy Markel, Horticulture - Bronze Award; Cheryl Mummert, Skills & Tasks - Bronze Award; Peggy Musselman, Skills & Tasks - Bronze Award; Sylvia Dehoff, Pa. Flower Growers Award also South Central Region - Gold Award.

Manheim Chain Calf To Balmer

Dale Balmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Balmer Manheim R2, was recently presented with the Manheim FFA chain calf. The calf, Button Lane Stly Sadie, was purchased from Earl Landis, Manheim R7. Robert E. Ginder, an area diary farmer purchased the calf for the chapter.

Selecting the calf were Frank Greenly, chairman and Ruby Ginder, both of the chain calf committee.

Dale is presently a freshman enrolled in vocational agriculture at Manheim Central and was selected from a number of applicants in the freshman and sophomore classes to receive the animal.

Dale will be showing the calf at area shows and fairs throughout the year. The calf will be replaced with a first calf heifer from the cow at a later date providing another animal for future use.

Dale Balmer (front) holds the new chain calf which he recently received from the Manheim FFA Chain Calf Committee. Other participants in the award are from left: Earl Landis, dairy farmer and owner of the animal; Frank Greenly; chairman of the committee and Cletus Balmer, father of the recipient.

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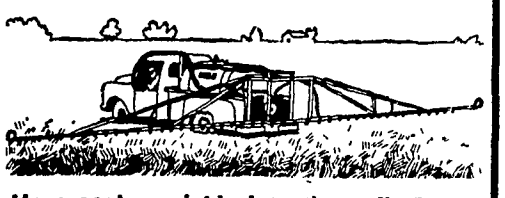

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Cloister FFA Holds 13th Annual Banquet

Approximately 185 members and guests attended Ephrata High School's Cloister Chapter FFA 13th annual banquet last Friday night at the Mt. Airy Fire Hall.

Chapter president Barry Wissler served as toastmaster for the evening. Phyllis Martin and Dennis Martin, chapter members, presented some musical selections. Banquet chairman was David Haldeman.

Awards were presented during the evening to chapter members for outstanding achievements during the year. There were 17 foundation awards presented, including: star chapter farmer, Jay Oberholtzer; star greenhand, Marty Hoover; agricultural processing, Kirk Copenhaver; agricultural mechanics, Curtis Martin; beef production, Gary Eberly; crop production, Daryl Martin; dairy production, Kerry Boyd; home improvement, Steven Strauss; livestock production, John Zimmerman; ornamental horticulture, Calvin Sauder; placement in ag production, Brian Weber; public speaking, Phyllis Martin; poultry production, Gerald Good; safety, David Martin; sheep production, Rick Strauss; soil and water conservation, Rick Gensemer; and swine production, Barry Wissler.

Keystone degree medals were presented by James Elder, director of guidance for the Ephrata Area School District, to James Felpel, Barry Wissler, Kirk Copenhaver and Dale Weber.

An even dozen project book medals were presented to the FFA members. Gold medals went to Tom Horst and Brian Weber. Silver medals were presented to Barry Wissler, Clifford

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Among the award winners last Friday night at the 13th annual banquet of the Cloister FFA Chapter were (left to right): Jay Oberholtzer, Star Chapter Farmer; Leslie Groff, Star Red Rose, Agribusiness; Harry Leininger, Star Red Rose, Production; Marty Hoover, Star Greenhand.

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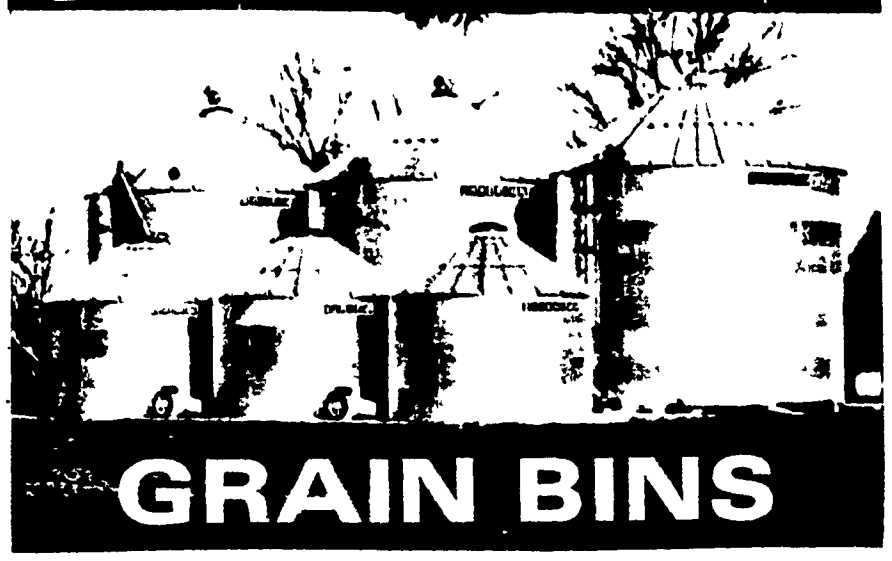

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Foundation award winners announced at last Friday night's annual banquet of the Cloister FFA chapter were (left to right): Bottom row - Calvin Sauder, Brian Weber, Gary Eberly, Rick Gensemer, Barry Wissler, Marty Hoover and Kerry Boyd. Top row - Jay Oberholtzer, Curtis Martin, Daryl Martin, Dave Martin, John Zimmerman, Steve Strauss, Rick Strauss and Gerald Good.

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Martin, Gary Eberly, John Weiler and Kirk Copenhaver. Bronze awards went to Daryl Martin, Harry Leininger, Jay Oberholtzer, Kerry Boyd and Richard Strauss.

Star Red Rose degrees went to Leslie Groff for agribusiness and to Harry Leininger for farming.

National judging team trophies, won by Cloister FFA'ers in competition on the national level were also presented. Leonard Martin, Harry Leininger and Kerry Boyd shared the honors for a first place team finish in Springfield, Mass., during the North Atlantic Region FFA Dairy Judging Contest. James Felpel was recognized for his third place individual score in small engines in Springfield, and Daryl Martin was honored for his sixth place individual showing in the milk products contest at Springfield. Jay Oberholtzer and Curtis Martin shared an award for earning a silver team emblem in the national milk products contest in Kansas City, Mo.

A special award plaque went to Jay C. Zimmerman, the Chapter's 1974 American Farmer award winner. A special award plaque also went to Richard Groff, 1975 state proficiency award winner for ag sales and service. Achievement certificates in mechanics went to Jay Foltz and Donald Dietrich.

Chain animal awards went to the following individuals: dairy calves - Richard Sweigart, Ronald Frey and David Gerhart; market lambs - Steve Strauss and Glen Beiler; gilts -- Dennis Martin, Daryl Martin and Marty Hoover; capons - Harlan Martin, Daniel Hollinger and John Weiler.

Honorary chapter farmer degrees went to the fathers of this year's Keystone Degree winners. Accepting awards were Glenn Wissler, Lewis Weber, Perry Copenhaver and Melvin Felpel. Student teacher Gerald Martin was also named an honorary chapter farmer.

Outstanding service awards went to Henry Givler, area consultant for vocational agriculture in Lancaster County, and to Mark Nestleroth, Dutch Valley Farms, Manheim.

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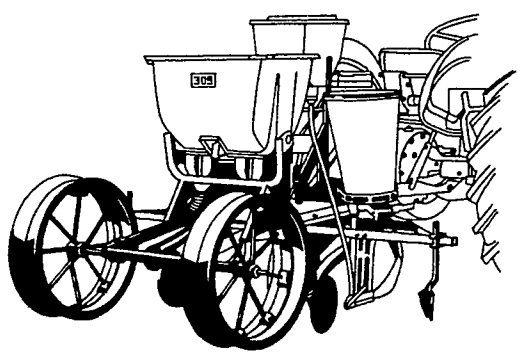

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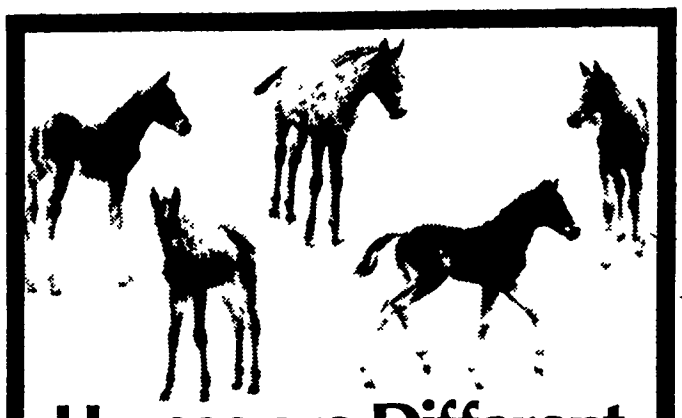

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Jones To Address Annual UEP Meet

Congressman Ed Jones, Chairman of the House Agriculture Subcommittee on Dairy and Poultry, will be the principal speaker at the annual awards banquet of United Egg Producers on Friday; April 4, at St. Petersburg Beach, Florida.

According to John Wallace, U.E.P. President, the awards banquet will conclude U.E.P.'s annual membership meeting. It will be the function at which the Maurice M. Stein "Eggman of the Year" award will be made. The banquet will begin with a reception at 6 p.m., he said.

Rep. Jones is from Yorkville, Tenn., and has represented that state's seventh district in the U.S. Congress since March 25, 1969. In the 93rd Congress, Rep. Jones introduced and was the primary sponsor of H.R. 12000, the Egg Research and Consumer Information Act. This legislation is seen as a milestone for the egg industry.

U.E.P.'s annual membership meeting will begin at 8 a.m. on Friday, March 4, and will be followed by a meeting of the new board of directors, Wallace said. In conjunction with the membership meeting, special committees of U.E.P. will conduct business on Wednesday, April 2, from 1 p.m. until 7 p.m. and the outgoing board of directors will meet on Thursday beginning at 8 a.m. Among the committee meetings will be the finance, political action, legislative, nutritional labeling, American egg board support, long range planning, and the executive committees. An informal marketing - brainstorming session for U.E.P. members will be held on Saturday beginning at 8 a.m.

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Milk produced per cow averaged 770 pounds in February, up 20 pounds from a year earlier and 10 pounds above February 1973.

United States milk production during February is estimated at 8,768 million pounds, practically unchanged from a year earlier but nearly two percent below February, 1973. U.S. average milk production per cow was 783 pounds, up four pounds from a year earlier and 10 pounds above February 1973. Milk cows on farms during February totaled 11,192,000 head, down 0.5 percent from February, 1974.

Pennsylvania potatoes in storage on March 1, 1975 totaled 1,600,000 hundredweight (cwt.), 29 percent below the previous month but 52 percent above the 1,050,000 cwt. in storage a year ago, according to the Crop Reporting Service.

Stocks consist of potatoes held for all uses by growers, local dealers and processors.

Disappearance (sales, home use, shrinkage, etc.) to March from time of harvest is 5,760,000 cwt., compared with 5,250,000 cwt. for the comparable period a year earlier. The 1974 crop of 7,360,000 was 17 percent above the 6,300,000 cwt. produced in 1973.

Nationally, total potato stocks in the fall production areas totaled a record 102.3 million cwt. on March 1, 1975, up 26 percent from the 81.2 million cwt. on hand a year earlier. Disappearance from the 1974 fall crop to March 1, 1975 totaled 182.3 million cwt., compared with 172.7 million cwt. for the comparable period a year earlier.

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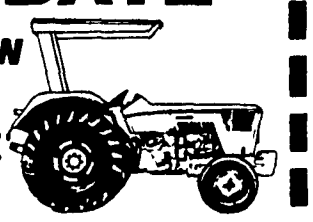

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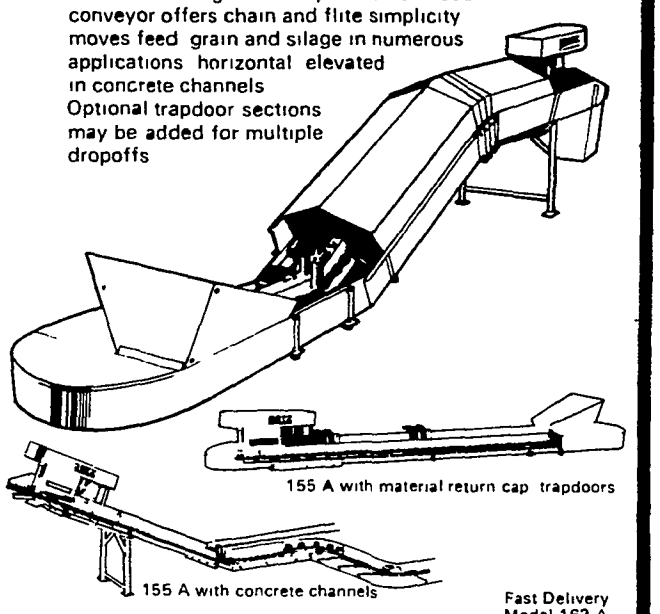

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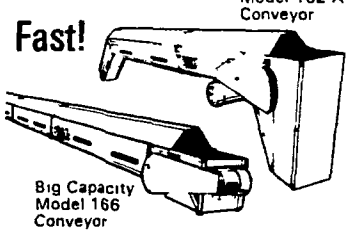

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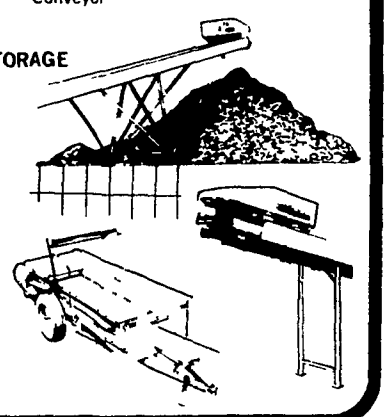

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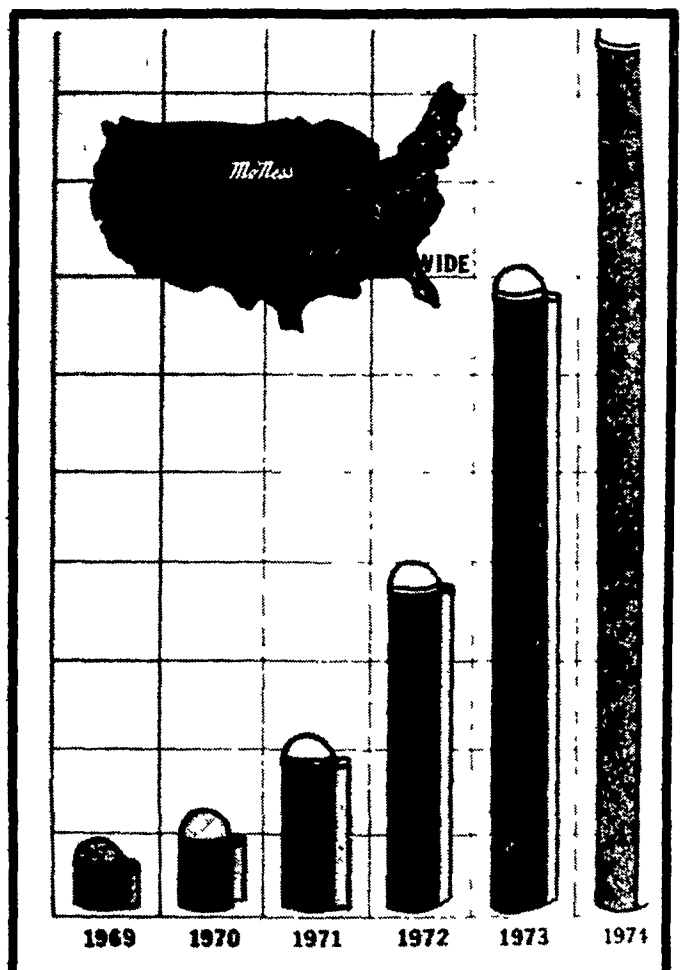

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Concrete walls, blackened stanchions and broken windows were all that remained of the Warren Bucher dairy barn, Reistville, after a fire last Thursday. All the cows were driven out of the barn before they were harmed by the $70,000 blaze.

"It was about 4:30 in the afternoon and we were just ready to milk. We'd only washed down two of the cows. I glanced up and saw a puff of smoke coming from the hay hole. I knew we were burning. I told my helper to let the cows out, I went to call the fire company and by the time I got back to the barn it was really going."

That's how Warren Bucher described the start of the fire last Thursday that consumed the dairy barn on his Reistville, Lebanon County, farm. "We didn't lose a single cow. We didn't even lose the dog, a six-month-old pup, although we thought we did at the time. After the fire, we found him hiding in some bushes."

Bucher praised the young man who works as his part-time helper, saying he kept a cool head and did everything right. "Without him, I know we'd have lost some cows," Bucher commented. "My wife was a big help, too, in getting the calves out."

The blaze leveled the barn, destroyed several tons of hay and straw, and ruined several pieces of machinery stored on the upper level. After the flames died down, all that was left were the blackened, skeletal stanchions that had once housed the 34 Guernseys in Bucher's milking string.

On Wednesday morning of this week, some 130 volunteers showed up to help Bucher rid his farm of the debris left from the fire. They were done by noon, and Bucher expressed his thanks to all who helped.

The herd is being housed at a neighboring farm, and will be dispersed on April 10 at the Guernsey Sales Pavilion in Lancaster.

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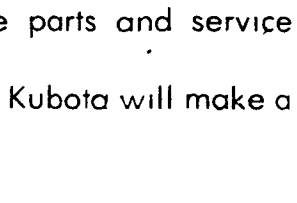

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Placements of broiler chicks in the Commonwealth during the week ending March 22, 1975 were 1,369,000. The placements were 1 percent below the corresponding week a year earlier, but 9 percent above the previous week. Average placements during the past 10 weeks were 6 percent more than a year earlier.

Settings for broiler chicks were 1,895,000 - 9 percent below the previous week and 7 percent above the comparable period a year ago. Inshipments of broiler-type chicks during the past 10 weeks averaged zero compared with 3,000 a year ago. Outshipments averaged 233,000 during the past 10 weeks, 12 percent above a year earlier.

Placements in the 21 States were 59,581,000 - 1 percent above the previous week but 7 percent the same week a year earlier. Average placements during the past 10 weeks were 7 percent less than a year ago.

Settings were 72,538,000 - 2 percent above the previous week but 6 percent below a year earlier. The current 3-week total of eggs set is 7 percent below the comparable period a year ago.

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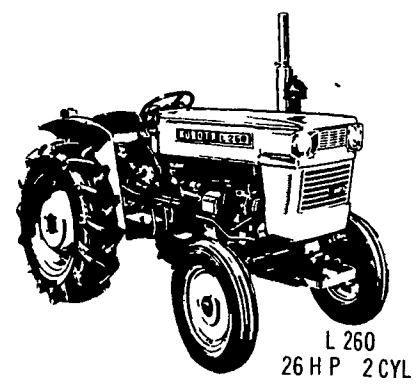

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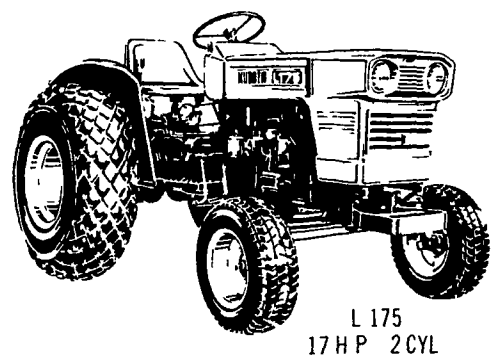

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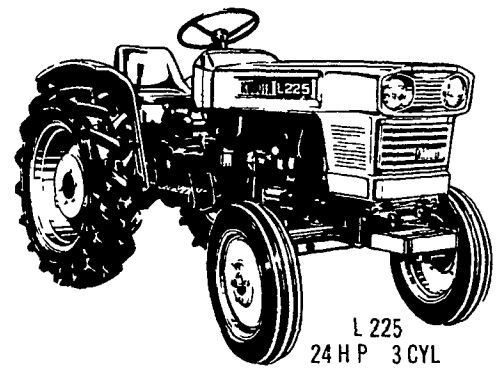

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14-Foot Mobile Homes Back On Highways Soon?

State legislation passed in February, 1974 which forbade the transportation of 14-foot wide mobile homes on public highways will soon be overruled making the movement of the large homes once more acceptable, according to J. Richard Stauffer, manager of Twin Brook Mobile Home Parks in Ephrata and Rothsville.

Said Stauffer, "I feel the public should understand what this has meant to the state as far as revenue and jobs are concerned."

"Every other state around Pennsylvania allows the transportation of the 14-foot mobile homes," he explained, "They realized they made a mistake, and it's only a matter of time, now."

The "they" to which he was referring was a few groups, including the American Automobile Association, that fought to get the transportation of 14-foot mobile homes made illegal when they discovered that the original decision to allow their movement came not from legislation but from an individual decision within Transportation Department in Harrisburg.

To their credit, the lobbyists worked against the transportation of the oversized mobile homes because they felt the traffic problems and hazards generated by such moves would far outweigh the advantages.

But, according to Stauffer, the safety record of the 14-foot homes in transit has been flawless, to his knowledge, because of the extreme precuations taken during the movements.

Stauffer told the Record-Express that the large mobile units never moved without a safety car or cars in front and behind them to warn motorists of the impending highway hazard from the oversized load. Said Stauffer, "Modern highways pose no problem at all; it's only the older highways with narrow bridges that cause problems."

Stauffer explained that every precaution was always taken when crossing the narrow bridges to stop traffic until the mobile home had been moved through.

He stated, "The loss of the 14-foot wide mobile home movement has had a serious impact on the mobile home industry in Pennsylvania.

"While the states surrounding Pennsylvania suffered a decline of 31.49 percent in 1974 shipments over 1973 shipments, Pennsylvania's decline was 59.65 percent."

Stressing the importance of the loss, he said, "Since February, 1974, 35 mobile home manufacturing plants have closed their doors. This leaves 44 mobile home manufacturing plants still in production.

"Pennsylvania lost $16 million in salaries and wages as a result of the industry decline in 1974, he continued, and "Pennsylvania supply firms have lost sales of $23 million because of the downward trend of the industry in Pennsylvania."

Stauffer declined to speculate on how soon a law would be passed to allow the transportation of the 14-foot mobile homes once again.

Other consumer laws recently passed or pending that have made an impact on the mobile home industry includes a law which prohibits park operators from limiting the number of mobile retailers such as oil companies, dairies and bakeries, who may come into the park to service customers.

According to Stauffer, the limitations were put on the parks for the convenience and safety of the park residents because, "If you have a dozen oil trucks coming into the park at one time," traffic through the park will suffer. In compliance with the new consumer law, Stauffer recommends to his park residents that they choose between two suggested oil companies so the park may be kept as free as possible from traffic snarling trucks.

Another law mentioned by Stauffer states that a resident who wishes to sell his mobile home to another party who wants to keep it within the park, must meet a number of rules and regulations designed to make certain the mobile home being sold is in first class shape.

In the past, a mobile home over five years old in some parks could not be sold to the buyer who wished to keep it in the same park. This is no longer the case; age can no longer be a determining factor in stipulating if the mobile home may remain in the park or not. But the stringent regulations on keeping a home in first class shape will play an important part in controlling the appearance of mobile home parks.

Stauffer told us that his parks do not allow their residents to repair or wash cars in front of their mobile homes, but that residents are provided with areas in which they may do repair work on their cars or wash them.

Park residents are also provided with garden plots, if they desire them, and may use the park ladders, wheelbarrows, hoses and other tools.

Crab Grass Control Harder

Crab grass control in home gardens this year is going to be tougher, due to a severe shortage of dacthal - the herbicide commonly used for this purpose. Production foul-ups of this chemical have resulted in an 85 percent drop in the supply over last year, according to University of Delaware weed control specialist, Dr. Larry R. Hawf.

In larger gardens there is an alternative chemical which can be used - diphenamid. This is available under two trade names: Dymid and Enide. But, cautions Hawf, this herbicide is more active than dacthal and is not registered for all home garden crops.

Diphenamid is labeled for all cole crops (including cabbage, broccoli, brussels sprouts and cauliflower), for the cucurbits (cucumbers and melons) and for tomatoes. The chemical is not registered for root crops or corn. Use on such crops, especially when plants are very small, may result in injury to them.

Hawf says that the best crab grass control in most small home gardens is not herbicides at all, but mulches. In his own garden he uses grass clippings–put down to a depth of six inches, green. When dry, the clippings make a good weed-controlling mulch that's about two inches deep.

For crab grass control on lawns, the herbicides the specialist recommends are Tupersan, Balan and Betasan. The last two can be used only on established turf. Tupersan can be used on both seeded and established turf. But if you keep a good healthy turf, this condition, in itself, is sufficient control for most lawns.

Proper mowing is an important key to crab grass control in lawns. Cut bluegrass to a height of two and one-half to three inches. Since crab grass doesn't germinate well without light, a good, well-watered stand of turf will keep it out.

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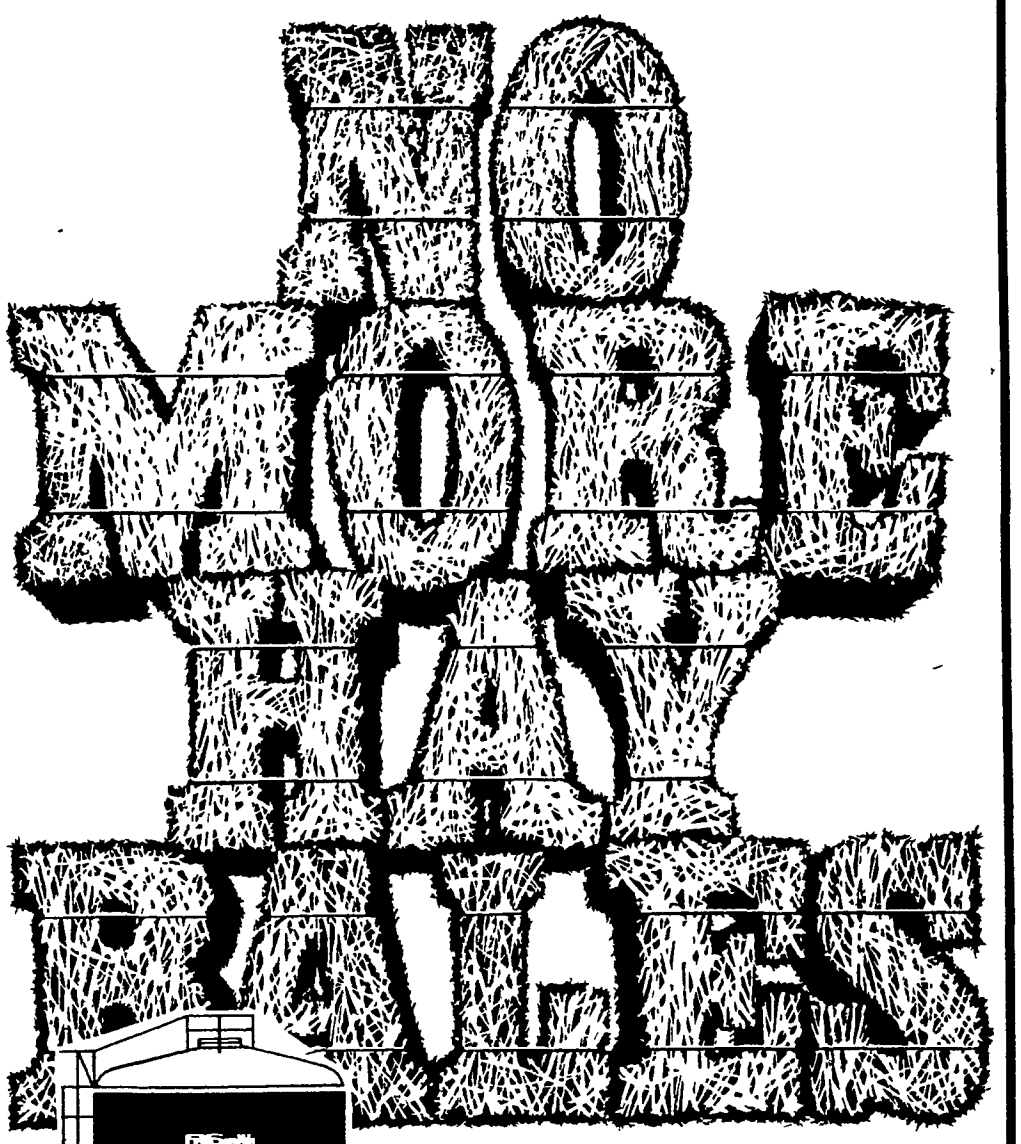

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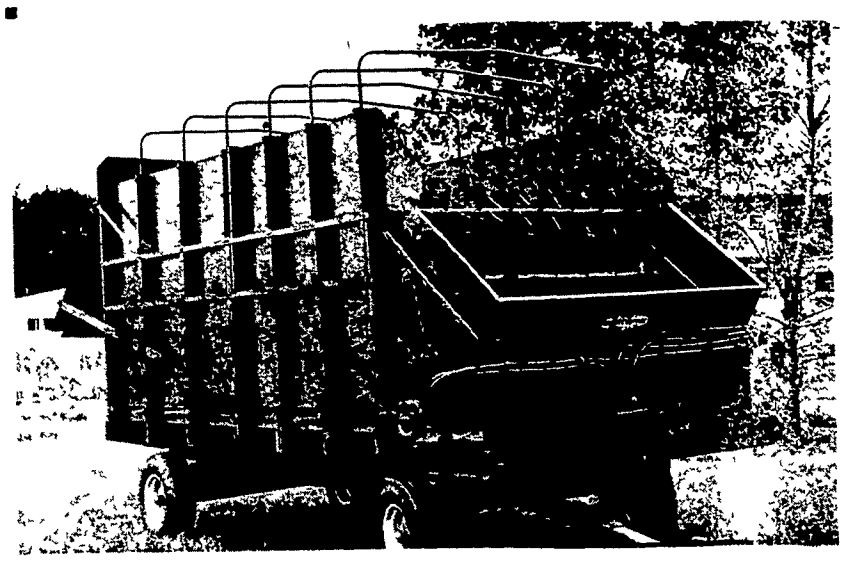

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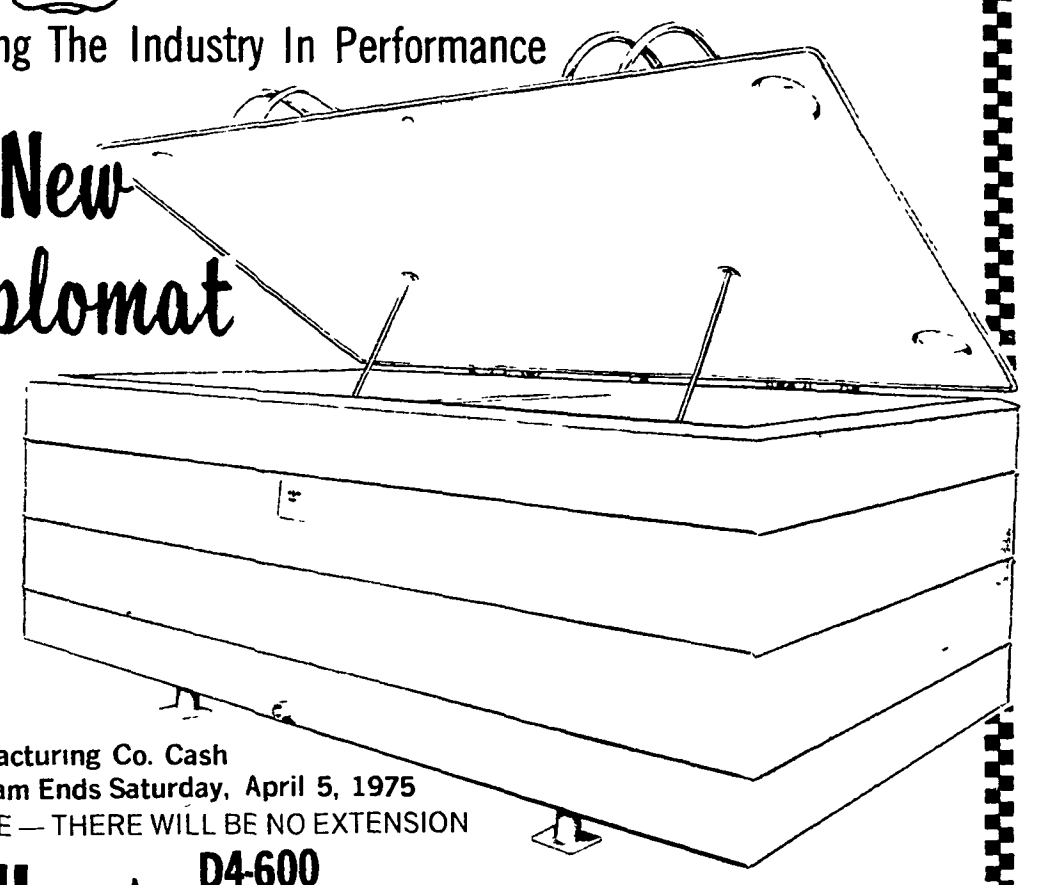

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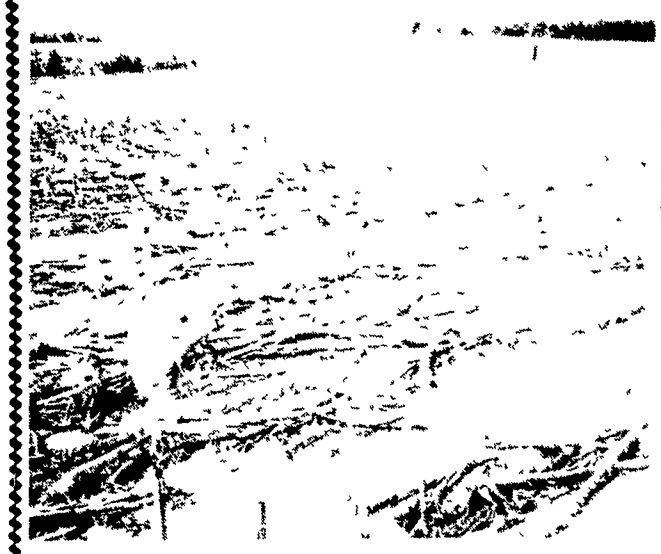

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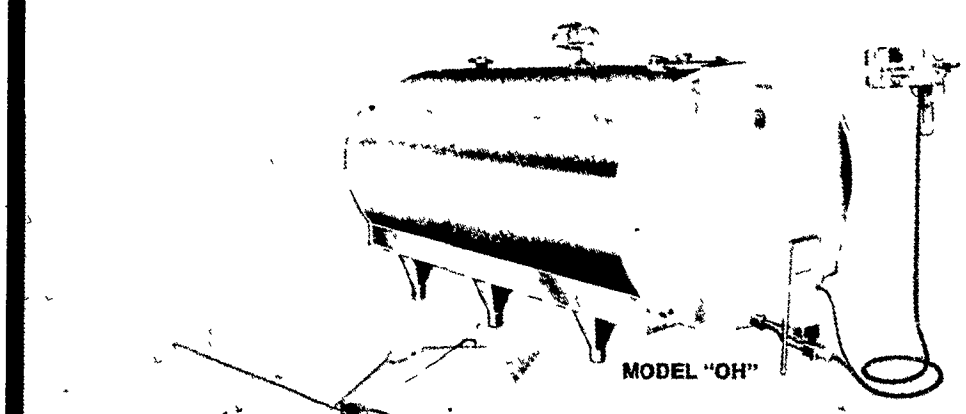

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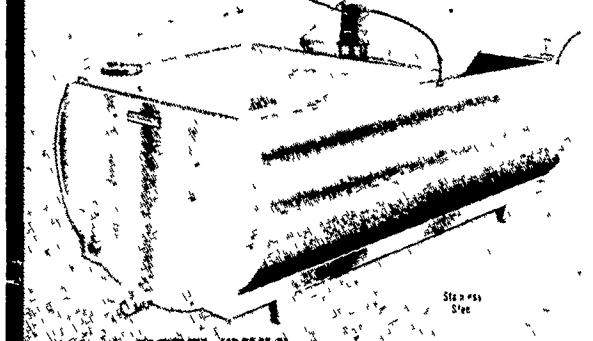

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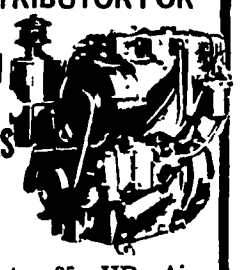

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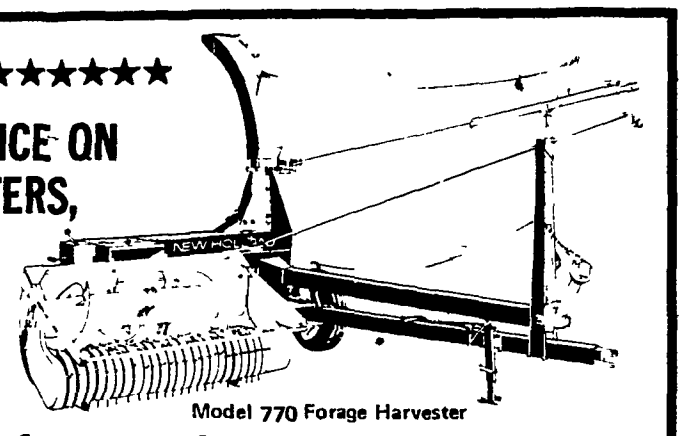

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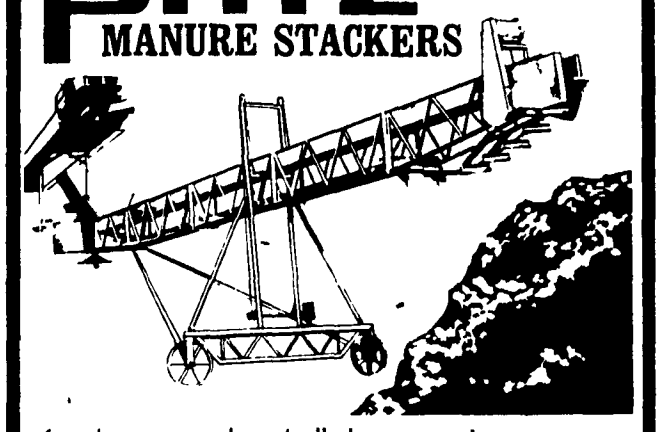

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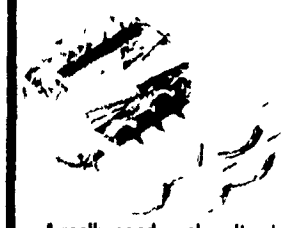

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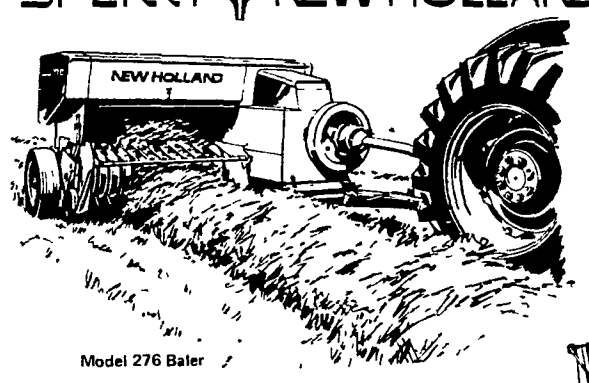

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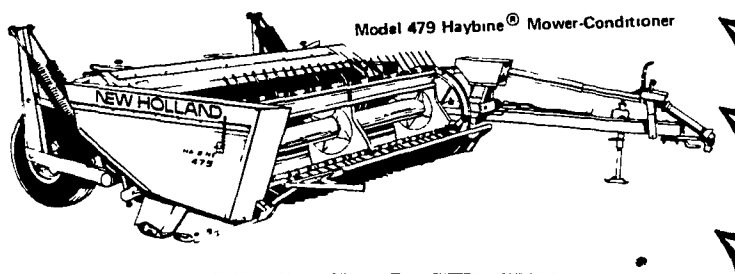

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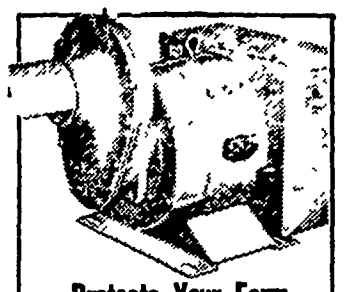

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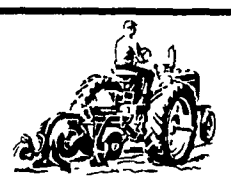

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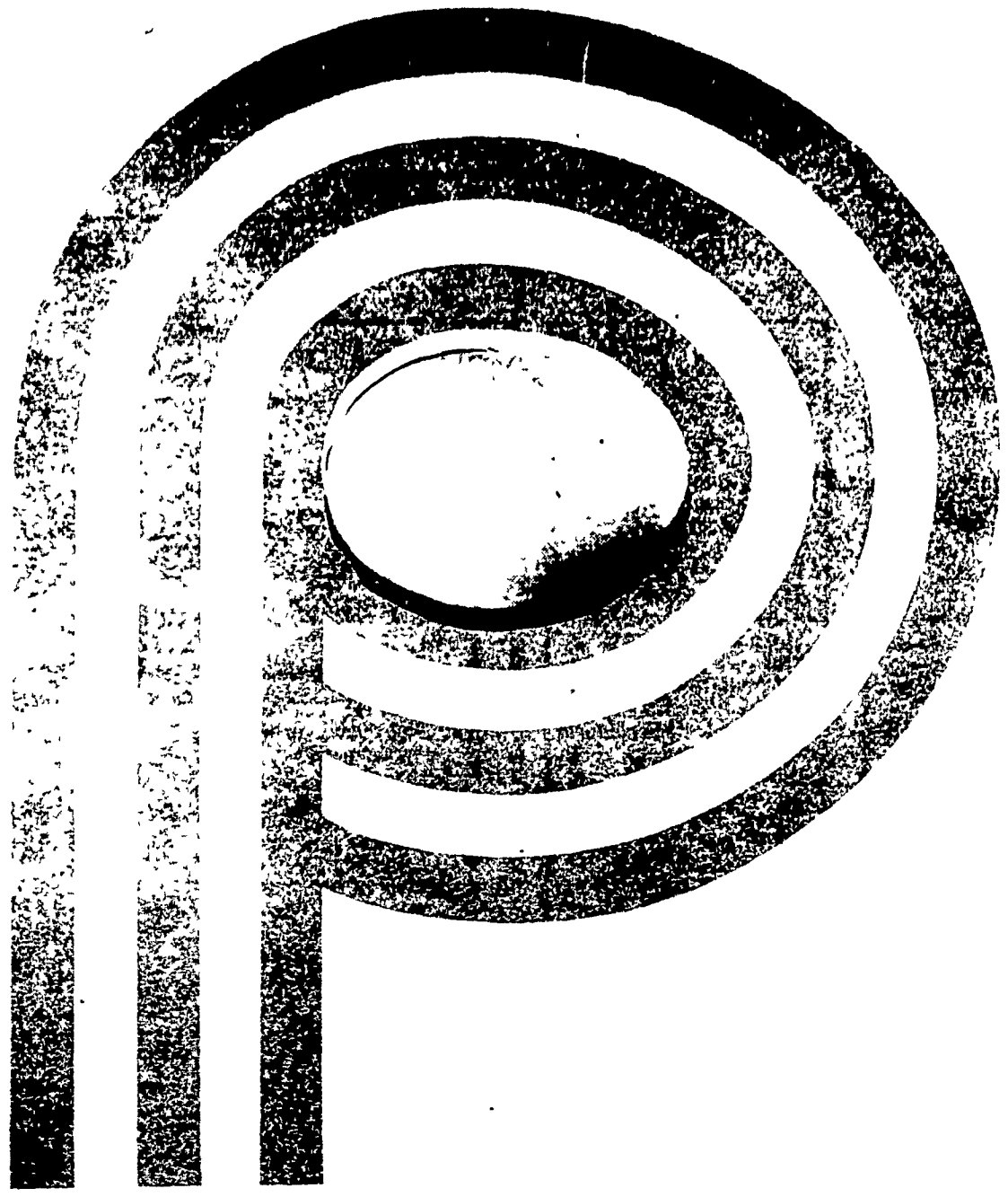

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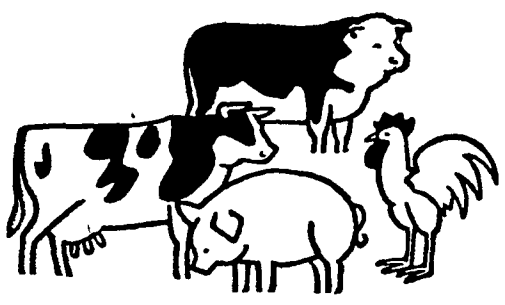

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Recipes For Your Easter Holiday Dinner

by: Melissa Piper
Associate Editor

Once again, spring has made its way into the southeastern Pennsylvania area, bringing with it the traditional Easter holiday our first hope of warm weather and the beginning of new life.

Along with Christmas, Easter is a special holiday, not only because of its religious connotation but also because it is often a time for family gatherings and specially prepared meals.

This week in our Homestead Notes we are featuring an Easter Recipe special. The members of Farm Women Society 30 in Lancaster County were gracious enough to provide the recipes, some of which have been in their families for many years and others which are new and quite interesting.

Farm Women Society 30 itself was founded about six years ago and now has a membership of 25 ladies from the New Holland area. The current president of the organization is Janet Zeiset of New Holland.

Society 30 which is comprised of young farm women, holds monthly activities as well as frequent business meetings. The group has been involved in many service projects and also conducts a variety of social events that have ranged from swimming parties to bike hikes.

We thank the ladies of Society 30 for their recipes and hope that you'll give them a try for your Easter dinner. Happy Easter!

Cherry Sauce For Ham

2 tablespoons cornstarch
½ cup sugar
1 can (1 pound) pitted red tart cherries

Blend cornstarch and sugar in saucepan. Stir in cherries with liquid. Cook, stirring constantly until mixture thickens and boils. Boil and stir one minute. If desired stir in several drops of red food coloring. Makes 2 cups.

Mrs. Glenn Weber
Mohnton

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Strawberry-Glazed Ham

½ cup strawberry preserves
1 tablespoon cornstarch
3 tablespoons lemon juice
⅛ teaspoon ground cinnamon
⅛ teaspoon ground cloves
3-4 pound fully cooked boneless formed ham

In saucepan, combine strawberry preserves and cornstarch. Add lemon juice, cinnamon and cloves. Cook stirring constantly till mixture is thickened and bubbly.

Place ham on rack in shallow roasting pan. Score ham in diamonds, cutting only ¼ inch deep. Insert meat thermometer. Roast in 325 degree oven for 1½ - 1¾ hours. Spoon some glaze over ham. Continue roasting meat for 20-30 minutes or until the thermometer registers 135 to 140 degrees basting ham occasionally with remaining glaze.

Janet Zeiset
New Holland

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Egg Centerpiece

Several different flavors of gelatin
Egg Shells

Stab the large end of the egg with the point of a paring knife, then enlarge the hole to about ½ inch. Break the membrane and the yolk and shake out the contents of the egg. Rinse the empty shells several times. Drain and set shells in an egg carton to hold upright. Dissolve colored, flavored gelatin of several colors in about half the water called for in the directions. Pour the gelatin into the shells and chill thoroughly. Dip in hot water for a minute and peel the eggs. Carefully return to the refrigerator until mealtime.

Arrange the eggs in a nest of colored coconut or lettuce leaves.

Mrs. Delmar Neff
Christiana

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Easter Eggs

8 ounces of cream cheese
½ cup margarine
2 pounds of 10X sugar
1 pound semi-sweet chocolate

Cream together cream cheese and margarine. Gradually add 10X sugar. Carefully knead in all sugar till smooth. Cut mixture into the desired number of flavor variations. Shape into the size eggs you desire. Place on waxed-paper lined cookie sheet and refrigerate several hours. Dip in chocolate with a little paraffin or shortening melted in with the chocolate. For flavor variations gradually knead in ¾ to 1 cup of flaked coconut or 1 cup of peanut butter after the sugar is kneaded in.

Mrs. Wilmer Musser
Goodville

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Party Starters

10 frankfurters
1 - 8 ounce can of refrigerator crescent dinner rolls
horseradish dip
mustard dip

Cut each frankfurter into quarters. Separate crescent dough into 4 rectangles. Gently press dough to seal perforations. Cut each rectangle into 10 thin strips. Wrap each frankfurter piece with strip of dough; place on ungreased cookie sheet. Bake at 375 degrees 12-14 minutes or until lightly browned. Serve hot with:

Zesty Horseradish

½ cup horseradish sauce, 1-3 cup chili sauce combined for a dip.

Nippy Mustard Sauce

Combine 1 cup dairy sour cream, 2 tablespoons prepared mustard, 1 tablespoon green onion slices. Mix well and chill.

Mrs. Betty Neff
Christiana

The ladies of Farm Women Society 30 sure know how to cook and bake, which can be evidenced by the array of food which appeared for their recent food auction.

Homestead Notes

Easter Nest Coffeecake

1 package of dry yeast
¼ cup warm water
½ cup milk
¼ cup sugar
¼ cup shortening
1 teaspoon salt
3 cups sifted flour
1 slightly beaten egg
shredded coconut
green food coloring
candy decorations

Soften yeast in warm water. Scald milk, stir in sugar, shortening, and salt. Cool to lukewarm. Add 1 cup of the flour, beat smooth. Add yeast and slightly beaten egg, beat well. Add enough of the remaining 2 cups flour to make a soft sough. On a floured surface knead 8-10 minutes. Place in greased bowl turning once to grease surface. Cover; let rise in warm place till double about 1 hour. Punch down; divide in thirds. Cover let rest 10 minutes. Shape 1-3 of the dough in 6 "eggs" place close

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Members of Farm Women Society 30 of Lancaster County recently held a "Bring and Brag Auction." Members participating included from left: Janet Zeiset, president and hostess; Carol Horning who served as auctioneer and Helen Zimmerman, chairlady of the event.

Country Corner

with: Melissa Piper
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

A Genuine Antique

It seems that many of our readers are either antique collectors or people who have "possible" antiques to offer for sale We have been asked by many people just how to tell if an item or piece of furniture is a genuine antique.

During our search for some information on this subject we received information from one of our local extension offices and have combined their information with our research for a brief comment on the subject

First and probably most importantly, any piece of furniture or items that you think might fit into the antique category should be examined thoroughly and in good light. Look at the outside carefully for any decorations that might indicate a period dating or signature of the designer

Look for signs of changes or alterations One way to judge the age is by looking at the screws in the wood Before the middle 1800's, screws were not tapered and the slot in the head was hand cut. Following 1850 most screws were machine cut so that all of the crews used would most likely look uniform

When examining antique quilts and coverlets, look for a signature either the name of the weaver or a particular sign which he was noted for If you have any questions, consult an expert or research the item through books or a local historical society Most weavers had definite patterns which were unique

No matter what item you may be looking at or examining, be sure to take your time and observe the details carefully If you have concerns about authenticity consult a dealer or a local historical society Even many public libraries carry books on antique furniture and woven materials which could be of an aid

If you have any doubts about an item, don't hesitate to be inquisitive and do a little research The time you may spend looking into the history and characteristics of an item may be well worth your while!

Holiday Dinner Recipes

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together in center of greased baking sheet. For nest, shape remaining dough in two 26 inch ropes. Twist together. Coil around the eggs and seal ends. Cover and let rise till double about 1 hour. Bake in 375 degree oven for 15-20 minutes. Cool and tint coconut with coloring. Frost coffeecake with confectioner's sugar icing; sprinkle eggs with candy decorations and the nest with coconut.

Mrs. Dwane Hostetter
New Holland

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Ham Baked in Cider

10-12 pound fully cooked bone-in ham
½ cup sliced onion
1 bay leaf, crumbled
4 cups apple cider
½ cup light brown sugar
1 tablespoon lemon juice
¼ cup sliced onion
whole cloves
apple cider sauce

Preheat oven to 325 degrees. Place ham in baking pan and arrange ½ cup onion sliced on ham. Sprinkle with bay leaves. Pour 2 cups cider in pan. Cover pan tightly with foil. Bake ham 2½ to 3 hours or until meat thermometer registers 130 degrees. Remove ham from oven and drain lequid. In a sauce pan, combine 2 cups cider, brown sugar, lemon juice and onion. Bring to a boil and boil uncovered for 5 minutes then strain.

Return ham to pan and with a sharp knife make diagonal cuts in fat not meat. Stick center with whole clove. Pour cider mixture over ham. Bake uncovered and baste every 15 minutes for about 40 minutes. Let stand on platter before caring for 20 minutes. Serve with apple cider sauce.

Apple Cider Sauce for Ham

1 quart cider
2 pounds McIntosh apples pared and quartered
½ cup sugar

Bring cider to boiling and boil gently over medium heat about 20 minutes or until cider is reduced to 1 cup. Add quartered apples and sugar. Toss gently to combine. Gently simmer apples covered until apples are soft about 20 minutes. Stir and serve warm with ham. Makes 3½ cups.

Carol Horning
New Holland

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Ham Balls

2 pounds ground ham
2 pounds ground pork
2 cups corn flake crumbs
2 cups milk
2 tablespoons dry mustard
4 eggs

Mix well and shape into balls with 1-3 cup measuring cup. Makes 33 balls.

Glaze:

2 cups light brown sugar
2 tablespoons dry mustard
½ cup vinegar

Heat and spoon over meat. Cover and let bake for 30 minutes at 350 degrees uncover and bake for 30 minutes.

Mrs. Dwane Hostetter
New Holland

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Chocolate Eclairs

Shell:
1 cup flour
½ teaspoon salt
1 cup water
½ cup shortening
4 eggs unbeaten

Sift flour, salt and measure. Place water and shortening into a pan, place over medium heat, bring to a boil. Turn heat to low, immediately add flour all at once, beat fast with a wooden spoon until mixture leaves sides of pan and forms a soft ball of dough. Remove from heat and break one egg at a time and drop into mixture. Beat until batter is smooth and repeat with the other eggs. Put on cookie sheets in strips about 1 inch wide and 4 inches long about 2 inches apart. Bake at 425 degrees for 20 minutes.

Cream Filling:

one and one-third cups sugar
10 tablespoons flour
½ teaspoon salt
4 eggs, beaten
4 cups milk
2 teaspoons vanilla

Combine sugar, flour, salt in a pan. Slowly stir in milk, place over heat, bring to a boil, stirring constantly. Remove from heat. Stir a little of this mixture into eggs, pour back into hot mixture and mix. Bring to a boil and stir. Add vanilla and cool. Cut slits in eclairs, fill with filling and coat with chocolate icing.

Mrs. Helen Zimmerman
East Earl

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Peanut Butter Eggs

1 egg white beaten
¼ pound butter
1 pound box of 10X sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla

Add more sugar if too wet, more egg white if too dry. Stir in ½ of 12 ounce jar of creamy peanut butter or according to taste. Chill and form into eggs. Chocolate coating: Use approximately ¾ pound of milk, chocolate, plus 1 square semi-sweet chocolate melted and ½ cake paraffin, melted. Dip eggs in chocolate mixture using a toothpick.

Reta Esh
New Holland

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Baked Pineapple

½ cup butter
1 cup sugar
4 eggs
1 can (No. 2) crushed pineapple
10 slices of bread cubed

Cream butter and sugar. Add eggs. Beat well and add pineapple and bread cubes. Bake in 1½ quart greased casserole. Uncovered. Bake at 350 degrees for ½ to ¾ hour.

Mrs. Helen Zimmerman
East Earl

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Green Bean Supreme

4 slices of bacon
¼ cup chopped onion
1 can cream of celery soup
1-3 cup milk
2-9 ounce packages frozen cut green beans, cooked and drained

In a sauce pan cook bacon until crisp, remove and crumble. Pour off all but 2 tablespoons bacon drippings. Cook onion in drippings. Add soup and milk. Heat and stir often. Add green beans. Garnish with bacon. Serve piping hot.

Mrs. Betty Neff
Christiana

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Elegant Jeweled Easter Egg Salad

1 large can apricots
1 large can sliced pineapples
2 (3 ounce) packages of orange gelatin
2 cups boiling water
1 cup orange juice
1 tablespoon lemon juice
½ cup chopped nuts

Drain apricots, pineapple and dice. Combine fruit syrups and reserve 1 cup for the dressing. Dissolve gelatin in boiling water add juices. Chill till slightly thickened. Fold in fruits and nuts. Pour into lightly oiled 1½ quart melon mold. Chill till firm. Unmold into shallow platter. Decorate with Fluffy Fruit Dressing and surround with "grass."

Dressing

Combine ¼ cup sugar, 2 tablespoons cornstarch in 1 quart saucepan. Add 1 cup reserved syrups, 1 slightly beaten egg, 2 tablespoons butter. Cook over medium heat stirring constantly till thick. Cool. Whip 1 cup heavy cream till very stiff. Beat cornstarch mixture till smooth. Fold thoroughly into whipped cream.

Grass

Dissolve 2-3 ounce packages of lime gelatin in 2 cups of hot water. Add 2 cup cold water and pour into 8x8x2 inch pan. Chill till firm then put thru ricer or flake with fork.

Janet Zeiset
New Holland

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Coconut Eggs

2 pounds powdered sugar
1-8 ounce package cream cheese
¼ pound butter
1½ cup coconut

Cream the softened cream cheese and butter. Mix in coconut. Add sugar gradually. Mix well and shape into eggs. Cover eggs and chill. In a day these are ready to be dipped in melted chocolate.

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Home on the Range

This week we are featuring some varied dessert recipes that have come to us in the past few days. We hope you'll try some! Please see our Homestead Notes column for a special Easter - Recipe Story.

Pineapple Cake Dessert

One butter recipe yellow cake mix. Follow directions on box and divide batter into 2 cake pans (9 x 12).

Beat one 8 ounce package of cream cheese with 2 cups milk until smooth; add 2 3¾ boxes instant pineapple pudding and beat until well mixed. Spread on cooled cake.

Drain 2 cans crushed pineapple and spread on top of cream cheese mixture. Add one large container of whipped topping mix and spread over pineapple. Top with coconut.

Arlene Weaver
New Holland, Pa.

Union Pie

1 cup granulated sugar
1 cup molasses
2 cups thick milk
1 cup sour cream
2 eggs
6 tablespoons flour
1 teaspoon soda
vanilla

Combine ingredients and bake. (No baking instructions included.)

Mrs. Raymond Sauder
Ephrata, Pa.

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Wet Shoo-Fly Pie

Crumbs:

2½ cups flour
One and two-thirds cup brown sugar
2½ tablespoons shortening

Liquid:

2½ cups molasses
2 cups boiling water
3 eggs
2½ teaspoons soda in boiling water

Cover liquid with crumbs and bake

Mrs. Raymond Sauder
Ephrata, Pa.

Shoo Fly Pie

3 cups molasses
1 cup brown sugar
6 eggs
3 cups boiling water
2 teaspoons soda (dissolved in boiling water)

Crumbs:

6 cups flour
2 cups brown sugar
1 teaspoon soda
1½ cup shortening

Divide juice evenly into 6 crusts then put crumbs on top. Bake at 425 degrees for 10 minutes then turn back to 350 degrees for 45 minutes.

Barbara Ann Stoltzfus
Narvon, Pa.

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Union Pie

1 cup sour milk
1 cup sour cream
1 cup brown sugar
1 cup molasses
1 teaspoon soda
2 teaspoons cream of tarter
3 tablespoons flour
3 eggs

Mix everything together.

Linda Martin
Denver, Pa.

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Salad Dressing

1 cup mayonnaise
1 cup sour cream
ketchup enough to color

Mix and put on salad greens.

Mrs. Jacob King
Gordonville, Pa.

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Union Pie

3 eggs (beat the whites last)
1 cup molasses
1 cup sour cream
1 cup sweet milk
3 tablespoons flour
1 teaspoon soda
1 teaspoon cinnamon

For two large pies or 3 small pies. (No baking instructions included.)

Mrs. Jacob King
Gordonville, Pa.

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Boston Cream Pie

2 cups sifted cake flour
1¼ cups sugar
2½ teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
1-3 cup shortening
1 cup milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
¼ teaspoon almond extract
1 egg unbeaten

Sift dry ingredients into mixing bowl Add shortening, milk, vanilla and almond extract. Beat two minutes or 30 strokes by hand. Add eggs, beat two minutes as before. Pour into two greased 8 or 9 inch pans. Bake in moderate oven at 350 degrees for 25-30 minutes. Spread custard cream filling over lower half. Cover with top half. Dust with confectioner's sugar or spread with chocolate icing.

Custard Filling

1 cup milk scalded
½ cup sugar
2 tablespoons cornstarch
⅛ teaspoon salt
2 eggs slightly beaten
1 tablespoon butter
1 teaspoon vanilla

Gradually add milk to mixture of sugar, cornstarch and salt. Cook slowly, stirring constantly until mixture thickens. Add about ½ cup hot mixture to eggs and blend, carefully combine both mixtures and cook three minutes stirring constantly.

Remove from heat; blend in butter and vanilla. Cool.

Chocolate Icing

2 tablespoons butter or shortening
2 squares melted chocolate
¼ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon vanilla
2¼ cups sifted confectioner's sugar
¼ to 1-3 cup milk

Blend together shortening, chocolate, salt and vanilla. Add sugar alternately with milk. Beat until smooth. If thinner glaze is desired, add a little more milk.

M. Barbara King
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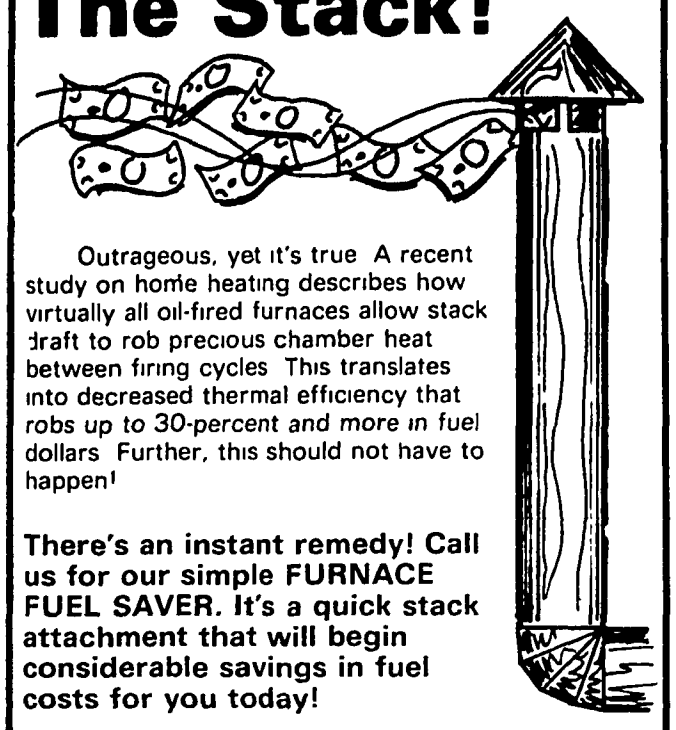

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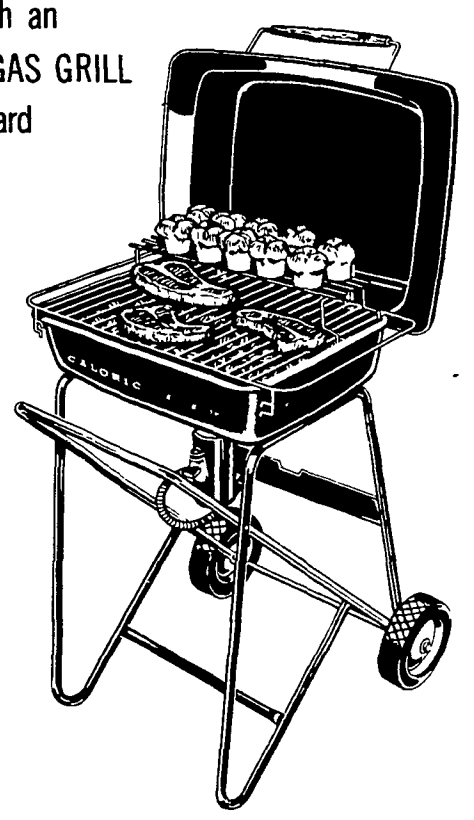

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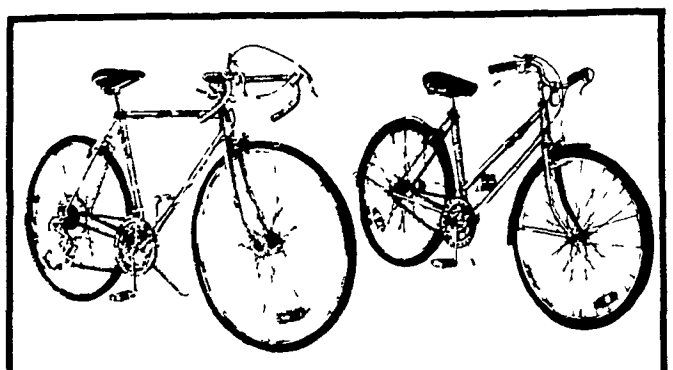

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Junior Cooking Edition

Home on the Range

Our Junior Cooks are still sending in many of their favorite recipes. Many of them have helped us with our requests - in fact we received a number of recipes for Union Pie that was requested in our Home on the Range column.

This week we are featuring some of the dessert recipes the younger readers have sent in.

Be sure to see our recipe special for Easter in our Homestead Notes column.

Prune Whip

1 cup stewed prunes, pitted
½ cup sugar
1 tablespoon all purpose flour
1 tablespoon lemon rind
4 egg whites
½ teaspoon cream of tarter
¼ cup sugar

Rub prunes through seive, add sugar and cook slowly until mixture is consistency of marmalade. Cool and flour lemon juice and rind to prune mixture. Stir until well blended. Beat egg whites until foamy. Add cream of tarter and continue beating until egg whites stand in peaks. Add sugar slowly and carefully fold into beaten egg whites. Last fold prune mixture into egg whites Pile lightly into casserole. Place casserole in pan of hot water. Bake and serve cold with whipped cream. Serves 4-5.

Alta Brubaker
age 13
Millmont

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Stare Away Fudge

4½ cups 10X sugar
½ cup margarine or butter
1 can sweet condensed milk

Bring to a boil for 7 minutes or until soft ball stage. Remove from heat and add 2 large chocolate bars cut in small pieces and 2 packages of chocolate bits. Then add 1 pint of marshmallows cut in pieces and 1 teaspoon vanilla, ½ cup chopped nuts. Beat until smooth and pour into pan Leave cool.

Fannie Beiler
age 9
Leola

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Ginger Creams

Two-thirds cup shortening
1¼ cup brown sugar
1 cup molasses
5½ cups flour
1 teaspoon soda
½ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon ginger
1 teaspoon cinnamon
½ teaspoon cloves
1 cup hot water or coffee
1 cup raisins chopped

Cream shortening and sugar together and add molasses beat thoroughly. Sift flour measure and add salt, soda and spices. Sift again. Add sifted dry ingredients alternately with hot water. Beat only until ingredients are blended together. Fold in chopped raisins. Spread dough on greased cookie sheets. Bake at 375 degrees for about 20 minutes. Cut in squares when cooled and spread with favorite frosting Makes 3½ dozen squares.

Edith Martin
age 13
Ephrata

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Carob Cake

2 cups brown sugar
½ cup oil
2 eggs
2 heaping tablespoons carob
1 teaspoon soda
1¾ cup flour
1 cup sour milk
1 teaspoon vanilla

Cream together sugar and oil. Add eggs. Sift dry ingredients together and add. Then add milk and vanilla

Leah Miller
age 9
Lancaster

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Ice Cream Pie

½ cup corn syrup
½ cup peanut butter
3 cups Rice Krispies cereal
1 quart vanilla ice cream *slightly softened*

Combine corn syrup and peanut butter mixing thoroughly. Add Rice Krispies cereal and stir until well coated. Press mixture evenly around the sides and bottom of a 9 inch pie pan. Place in freezer or coldest part of the refrigerator. Spread the ice cream in the pie shell Put in chocolate syrup and chopped nuts on top. Freeze until firm Cut in wedges to serve.

Sharon Nolt
age 9
Ephrata

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Union Pie

2 eggs (beaten well)
1 cup sour cream
1 pint thick milk
1 cup molasses
1 cup sugar
1 teaspoon soda
2 tablespoons flour

Add ingredients in order and bake until brown at 400 degrees for 15 minutes then reduce to 350 degrees.

Marian Newswanger
age 16
New Holland, Pa.

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Snickers

½ cup white sugar
1 cup brown sugar
1 cup shortening
2 eggs
2¾ cup flour
1 teaspoon soda
2 teaspoons cream of tarter
¼ teaspoon salt

Mix well and chill dough overnight. Form into balls. Mix ½ cup brown sugar and 1 teaspoon cinnamon. Roll balls in mixture and bake.

Naomi Esh
age 12
Gordenville

Pineapple Fluff

2 cups crushed pineapple
1 cup sugar
2 cups water and pineapple juice
2 tablespoons cornstarch
3 eggs, separated
½ pound marshmallows

Drain juice from pineapple and add enough water to make 2 cups liquid. Heat 1½ cups juice to boiling point. Combine cornstarch and sugar, and remaining juice to make a smooth paste. Add paste to hot liquid and cook until thickened. Add beaten whites, crushed pineapple and chopped marshmallows. Fold into mixture and chill thoroughly. Makes 6-8 servings.

Nora Horst
age 13
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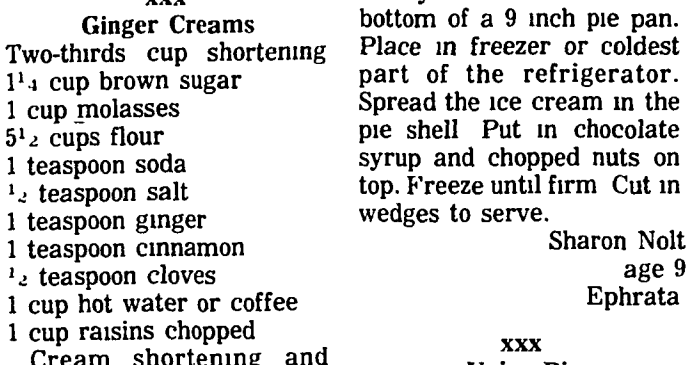

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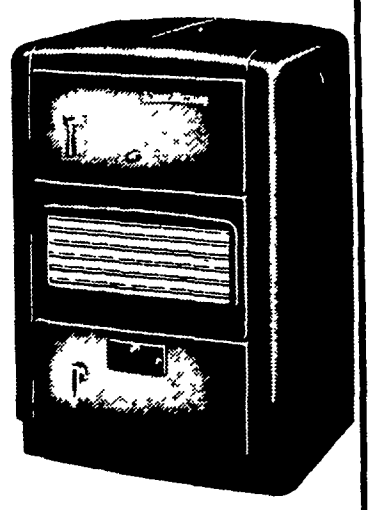

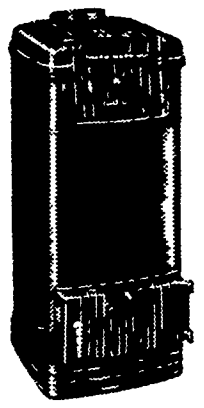

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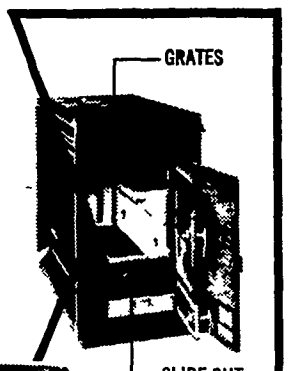

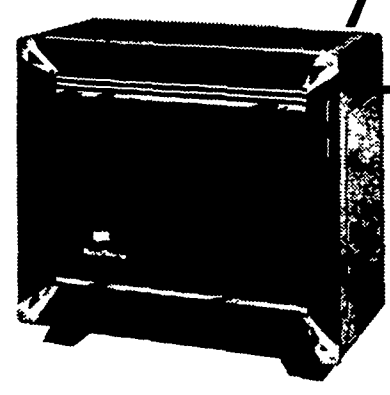

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Farm Women Societies

Society 14

The March meeting of the Farm Women Society 14 was held at the UCC Church Social Rooms in Willow Street. Our hostess, Mrs. Leon Thomas led the devotions and roll call was answered with a hymn with "The Cross" as the theme. Our president announced the members are challenged to sew a Colonial dress in celebration of the Bi-Centennial which will form a fashion show at the County Convention in November. The Spring Rally will be held on April 30 at 11:00 at Hershey, Pa. The reservation deadline is April 15. Thirty-five dollars was given to the Herman Wolf Fund.

Mrs. Lorenzo Tucci, whose message was entitled "Crosses", gave a very interesting and educational talk about the different kinds of crosses.

Our next meeting will be held on April 9 at the home of Mrs. Christian Landis, R1, Ronks. The program will be a Miscellaneous Sale.

Society 15

Farm Women Society 15 met recently at the home of Mrs. Ella Landis of Quarryville. Co-hostesses were Emily Greenwald, Mildred Smith and Bertha Conrad.

Mildred Smith gave devotions following group singing. Prayers for the health of county members were offered.

President, Kathryn Horner conducted the business meeting with members responding to roll call by telling a "windy fact or fictional story."

Ella Landis read a poem entitled "I'm Good for the Shape I'm In" followed by committee reports and the officer's reports.

A dish for supper sale followed the meeting with Janet Frantz serving as the auctioneer

Kathryn Wagner, the chairlady of the Trip Committee discussed the possibility of taking a one day trip to the Shennadoah Valley Apple Blossom festival.

Speaker for the evening was Dr Ed Fine who showed slides on the Family Health Center in Quarryville.

The April meeting will feature a safety program and will be held on the 17th at the home of Mary Bentley in Quarryville.

Society 26

Farm Women Society 26 held their last meeting at the home of Mrs. Michael Grove, Marietta R1. Mrs. Josie Buckwalter was co-hostess with Mrs. Amos Landis leading in devotions.

Roll call was a "pleasant surprise." The program was "Mary Ann's Surprise." She showed how to bake bread, rolls and other products using yeast.

The next meeting will be held April 24 at the home of Mrs. James Buckwalter Lititz R3. The program will be on safety.

Society 29

Society of Farm Women 29 met at the home of Mrs. Ted Shenk with Mrs. Daniel Forry Jr. as co-hostess.

Sixteen members responded to roll call by naming a favorite flower. The program for the evening was a workshop making gingham flowers. Mrs. Naomi Wenger was the instructor.

Society 29 voted to contribute to LARC as a county project. The group will be having a sub sale Apr. 3 with the proceeds being given to two needy families in the area.

The next meeting will be held Apr. 21 at 7 00 p.m. at the Pleasant View Rest Home

Society 31

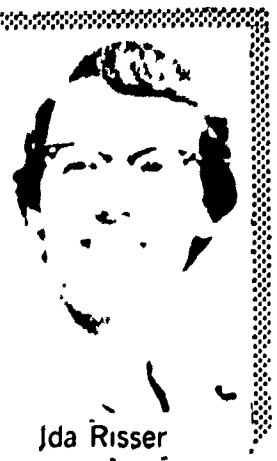
Farm Women Society 31 held its March meeting at the home Mrs. Paul Trimble with co-hostess Mrs Charles Witmer.

Mrs. Ben Wenger announced what the group will have a food stand on April 1 at Everett Kreider's sale.

A donation of $100 will be given to the youth Scholarship fund at the Solanco High School

Frank Taylor from PP&L spoke to the group on safety in the home. The program for the next meeting will be a trip to Hershey Medical Center April 21

Ida's Notebook



Ida Risser

If spring is a time for painting and sprucing up, then I'd say spring has arrived at the Risser house. The trouble is that there seems to be no end to the work. When one room is finished, another cries for attention with badly cracked plaster and a need for a new floor covering.

After a late snow, we discovered that some slate has blown off the roof and must be replaced. The last thing we need at this point is a leaking house.

Mixing and matching surely isn't a new idea as I've been checking and find that our old house has no less than five different types of window frames. So as we remodel, I suppose one more kind won't make any difference.

Reading is something I love to do; if and when I find time. Usually I just relearn something I already knew but once in a while you'll come across a new item or idea

A recent article recommended that thick potato peelings be planted in the garden instead of using the tubers themselves–thrifty if it works. Another thing which caught my eye was "edible violets."

My grandmother Landis always ate the first violet that she saw in the spring because it would bring her good health. Now it appears that the leaves and flowers are used for salads and a delicately flavored vinegar can be made also.

Soon I'll be digging dandelion for salad and remembering the old lady in our little town of Oregon who was a harbinger of spring as she walked the fields with hen basket in search of greens.

As a child I was sent out to gather dandelion flowers to be made into wine. If some had gone to seed my sisters and I would blow them away. The number remaining were the number of children we would someday have.

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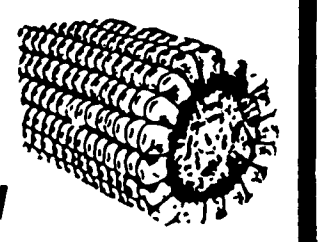
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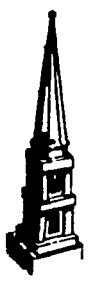
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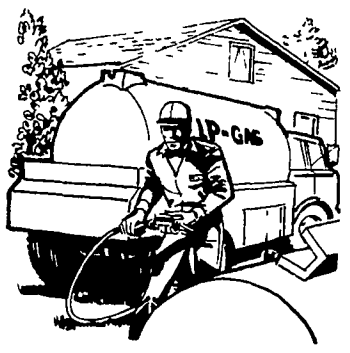

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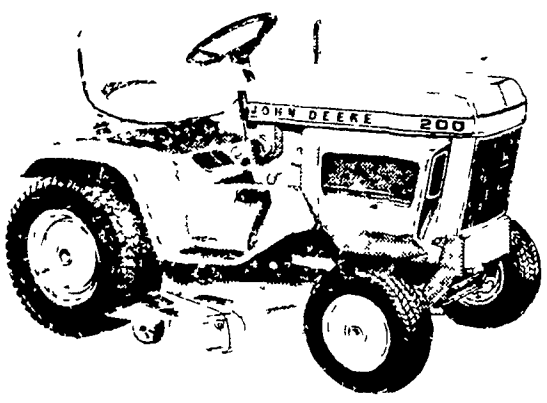

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Berks Co. Societies

Society 1

The March meeting of the Society of Farm Women 1 was held at the home of the president Agnes Noll. She opened the meeting by reading from Phillippians followed by The Lords Prayer and the Flag Salute.

Seventeen members answered to roll call. All members who were along to the Phila. Flower Show, The Phila. Mint and Independence Mall reported having an enjoyable time.

The next meeting will be held at The Hamburg State School. Gail Sittler and Esther Berndt will be in charge of the program A discussion was held on projects for the School

The Society is busy making Easter eggs, which is a main money making project The last candy-making will be March 24 and 25.

A bus has been chartered for the trip to the Spring Rally, held at The Hershey Convention Center

A motion was made and passed to limit secret pal gifts for the year to $5.00.

The Berks Heim Spring Bingo Party will be held Thursday evening April 3. Also the Volunteers Tea will be held Wednesday, April 23 from 1-3.

Society 5

A recent meeting of the Farm Women Society 5 of Berks County was held at the home of Mrs. Ray Bicksler, Richland R1.

Twenty-two members and two guests responded to the roll call by telling their favorite fragrance.

The program for the evening was a "beauty night" presented by Pat McFarland and Sharon Montgomery from Lititz.

President, Rhea Schoener conducted the business meeting with devotions led by the hostess. It was decided that planters would be taken to the Berks Heim for the Easter Season. Children of the members will put on a program for the Hamburg State School on May 23.

The next meeting will be held April 28 at the home of Mrs. Roland Fug Womelsdorf, R1.

Society 6

Farm Women Society 6 met on March 11 at the home of Mrs. Richard Schlegel in Boyertown. Members answered the roll call as to what they had sewn last.

The group made plans to attend the 10th anniversary of Group 5 to be held at the Womelsdorf Elementary School.

Two get well cards were sent to Mrs. Mary Haas and Mrs Mary Miller. Several of the members will be going to the Berks Heim Tea on April 23.

A committee to work on plans for visiting the Ide Convalescent Home more frequently was organized.

The guest for the evening was Mrs Shirley Sacks, the owner of the Crewel World Shopp who demonstrated the crewel needle work techniques.

Society 10

Berks County Farm Women Society 10 met recently at the home of Mrs Donald Daub, Bethel R1. Carol Zechman, president, conducted the business meeting with 17 members in attendance.

The program for the evening was a speaker, Mrs Sarah Clements, who spoke on the nutritional value of foods and how to diet safely

The next meeting will be held April 17 at the home of Mrs. David Younker, Bethel R1. Mrs Barry Bashore was received as a new member

Berks Co. Society 5 Anniversary

The 10th anniversary of Farm Women Society 5 celebration was held Tuesday evening, March 18 at the Womelsdorf Elementary School.

President, Mrs. Rhea Schoener served as emcee for the evening welcoming the remaining nine groups of Berks Co.

Devotions were led by Mrs. Betty Wessner, program chairlady.

The program opened with several musical numbers presented by the "Choraleers" of Conrad Weiser High School, under the direction of Miss Barbara Murdough.

The highlight of the evning was "This Is Your Life" for Dorothy Moyer. She organized the group and of which she was then president. Highlights were from the day she was born to the present year A few guests appeared to help surprise her on this special event

A monologue was then presented by Mrs. Mary Darkes

Following the program door prizes were given and refreshments served during the social hour

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Cholesterol Drugs Flop

Those drugs that are used widely for the control of cholesterol levels in the blood have been proven useless for patients who have already had a heart attack. This is the answer the National Heart & Lung Institute (NHLI) got after investing $40 million in a 15-year study that followed the progress of 8,341 patients.

Fifty-Five research clinics and other centers across the nation conducted the study, which established that the drugs clofibrate and niacin could not protect persons who have survived heart attacks

The study did not, NHLI announced, answer the related question of whether the drugs may be beneficial for people with high cholesterol levels, but who have not had a heart attack

So This Raises the scientific dilemma more strongly than ever: Is high cholesterol in the blood a symptom or a cause of heart disease? Researchers have pondered that one for years—with no real answers.

One prominent researcher has said, regarding any method of lowering cholesterol in the blood does not necessarily mean it leaves the body. Quite the contrary, it can simply move to other parts of the body, places that are beyond the surveillance possible in the bloodstodstream.

When Reminded that cholesterol is found in the atherosclerotic plaques that can line the arteries, other researchers have remarked that perhaps the cholesterol there is serving as a "repair mechanism."

So, we don't really know the role of cholesterol in heart disease.

Meanwhile, NHLI has another massive study under way that will take another five years to complete In it, scientists are studying the effects of controlling blood pressure, diet and smoking to see if all three of these factors can be manipulated to prevent or lessen heart disease. From this study we will not learn, for example, that diet, in itself, can be a factor in heart disease But we may learn that if you control all of the factors simultaneously you will be less at risk of heart disease.

All Of This is so "iffy" that my advice is for people to control their weight and to enjoy a nutritionally balanced diet chosen from the wide variety of foods available through four-food-group planning. That includes the meat and milk groups, fruits and vegetables, and breads and cereals. If you really need some very special diet, your physician is the one to advise you.

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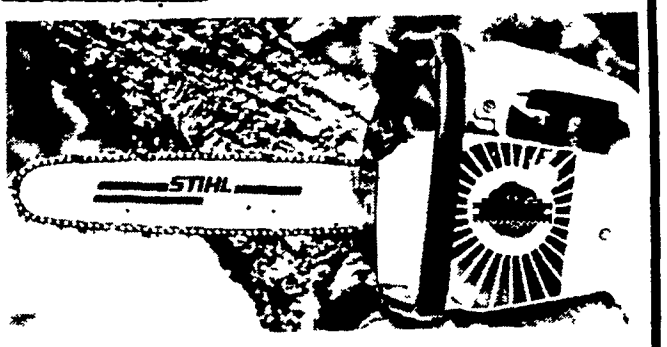

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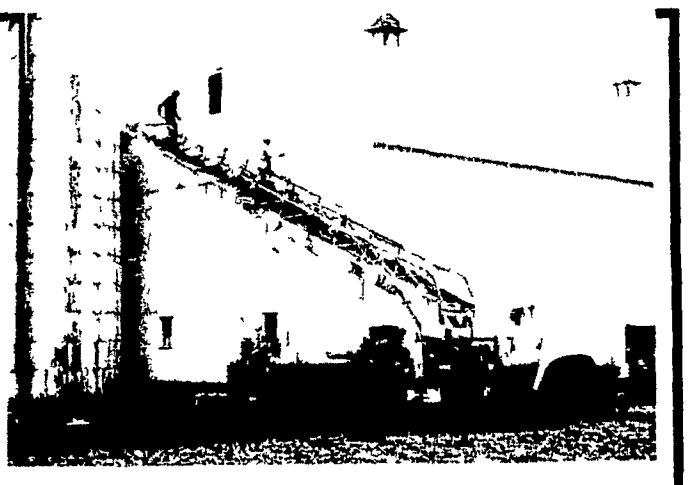

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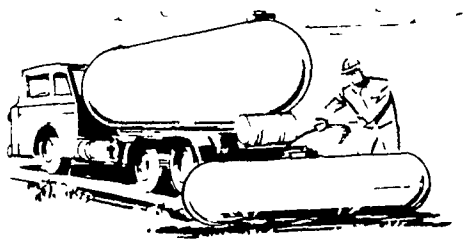

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An important reason behind the popularity of poultry, in addition to its nutritional value, has been its economical price When most other commodities were putting the squeeze on the family budget, poultry was countering the trend While the consumer price index for January 1975 was up 14.7 percent from a year ago, the price of meat, poultry and fish was down 3 4 percent from January 1974.

This helps to explain the rapid growth of the poultry business in the United States. The total farm value of U S. poultry and egg production in 1973 was at an all-time high of $6.7 billion, an increase of 65 percent over the preceding year.

Yearly U.S consumption of chicken alone has jumped from 28 pounds per person in 1960 to 42.1 pounds in 1973.

"This tremendous growth is a direct result of the fact that chicken is one of the few remaining values available to American shoppers," according to Kenneth E Guebert, President of Banquet Foods Corporation, a subsidiary of RCA

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The new booklet, which has been added to a complete line of technical reference publications by America's pioneer in metric publishing, has been developed for premium use, for distribution to customers, for countertop sales at point-of-purchase, or as an employee education booklet.

In convenient pocketbook format (7-¹/₂ x 4"), "The Modernized Metric System Explained," is packed with concise metric information which can be used on a daily basis With an attractive consumer oriented cover (which allows room for custom imprinting if desired), this new booklet has been created to meet the pressing need for "metric awareness" information, To meet this need, it prepares the reader for conversion to the metric system by taking the mystery out of metrication, simply by showing how much more logical the metric system is than our current system of measure

In concise, clear and simple language (with accompanying illustrations), "The Modernized Metric System Explained", concentrates on developing understandable connections" between the metric system and our present system of measurement, which work to eliminate that proverbial "fear of the unknown" Without plunging the reader into all the complicated theoretical considerations, this new booklet shows how easy the metric system is to understand. Focussing on the metric system's base of 10, it clearly shows the reader how much easier the problems of multiplying and dividing are with the metric system--because, for practical purposes, the problems revolving around the use of fractions (which have no easy relationship with each other), are virtually eliminated. Far from being mysterious and difficult to understand, the metric system is much easier to comprehend and work with than our current system, and this new publication shows the reader exactly why.

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The Kerr Company has since acknowledged that the problem was caused by a defective sealing compound used in some lid gaskets. Moreover, the company announced it will rebate home canners for the cost of the defective lids and the dollar value of all canned food which spoiled as a result of using these lids.

Jars with defective lids may have one or more of these spoilage symptoms: 1. Lids which were literally blown from the jar; 2. Lids which are swollen; 3. Lids which leak when the jar is tilted, or 4. Lids which emit a low-pitched dull sound when tapped lightly with a spoon.

Cans of spoiled foods will also have an abnormal odor, color or form when heated. Discard spoiled food without tasting. Canned foods exhibiting questionable spoilage symptoms should be boiled ten minutes before tasting or serving.

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Cotton may shrink some, but usually not as readily as rayon. If you are sewing swimwear or other garments of cotton fabric, cotton is a good choice.

Elastic is made by braiding or by weaving. If you look carefully, you can see the differences between the two constructions. The braided elastic becomes narrower when stretched. Braided elastic is ideal for use in casings. Woven elastic is a better choice when elastic is sewn directly to the garment.

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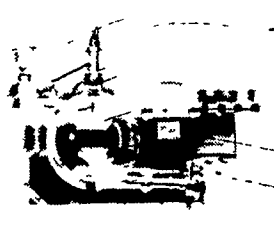

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1 can (15 oz.) tomato sauce
1/4 cup firmly packed brown sugar
1/2 cup water
1/4 cup original Worcestershire sauce
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1 teaspoon salt
12 small new potatoes
6 carrots, quartered

Trim excess fat from meat. In a large heavy saucepot heat oil. Add beef; brown on all sides, about 10 minutes; remove beef and pour off all but 1 tablespoon of the fat. To saucepot add onions; saute for 1 minute. Add tomato sauce, sugar, water, Worcestershire sauce, lemon juice and salt. Cook and stir until mixture comes to a boil. Add browned beef. Simmer, covered, turning meat occasionally until meat is almost tender, about 2 hours. Add potatoes and carrots. Simmer, covered, until meat and vegetables are tender, about 40 minutes. Remove meat and vegetables to a heated platter. Serve gravy "as is" or thicken by stirring 1 tablespoon flour blended with 1/4 cup water into each cup of gravy. Cook and stir until thickened. YIELD: 10 to 12 portions.

Brandt Will Use Mobile Office to Visit Voters

Rep. Kenneth E. Brandt, R-Lancaster, announced this week that he will begin bringing his new "Mobile Office" to his 98th District constituents to help solve their problems on a personal basis.

Using a converted camper for this month-long trial period, the State Assemblyman will kick off his effort at the steps of the Capitol building in Harrisburg and is scheduled to conduct a "drive-through" of all centrally located boroughs in the District.

"I am initiating this "mobile office" concept after numerous requests and careful evaluation toward improving service to the people," Brandt said.

"At the end of the month, the program will be reviewed to determine if the Mobile Office is the best method for reaching as many Lancaster Countians as possible with the least inconvenience to them.

"After leaving Harrisburg the first day, April 4, I plan to make a tour through the boroughs of Columbia, Elizabethtown, Manheim, Marietta, Mount Joy, and Mountville on the same date," Brandt explained.

Brandt said his mobile office will be stationed at a different borough each Friday evening and Saturday morning throughout the month.

The exact times and locations for the rest of the month will be announced at a later date.

Walter Schaub (left) representing the Lancaster County Poultry Association presented a trophy to the Penn Manor FFA poultry judging team following their victory at the FFA poultry judging contest held on Tuesday, March 25. Members of the team are from left: Art Riexinger, Bob Bachman and Don Almond.

FFA Poultry Contest Held

The Lancaster County FFA Poultry Judging contest was held on Tuesday, March 25 at the Penn Manor High School.

In the team competition, it was Penn Manor placing first with Ephrata second, Garden Spot third and Manheim fourth.

Penn Manor also dominated the individual competition with Robert Bachman - first; Don Almond - second; Rich Falk - third; Lewis Witmer - fourth and Steven Strass of Ephrata placing fifth.

The youths were asked to judge eggs for quality, ready to cook poultry carcasses, live production birds as well as pullets, identify diseases and grade eggs according to interior and exterior quality.

The eggs and poultry used for the contest were provided by Pennfield Corporation with Noah Gehman in charge.

A trophy for the first place team was provided and presented by Walter Shaub from the Lancaster County Poultry Association. John Hoffman, director of the Pa. Poultry Federation was also in attendance at the event.

Farm Women Calendar

Tuesday, April 1

Farm Women Society 27 meeting at the home of Martha Garber.

Thursday, April 3

Farm Women Society 17 meeting 12:00 noon at the home of Florence Dreider, Mechanic Grove.

Farm Women Society 20 meeting at 1:30 p.m.

Farm Women Society 28 meeting at 7:30 p.m. for a White Elephant Sale.

Saturday, April 5

Farm Women Society 1 entertaining Society 18 for a covered dish luncheon at the Farm and Home Center 12:30 p.m.

Farm Women Society 10 meeting at 1:30 p.m.

Farm Women Society Executive Board of Berks County meeting at the Berks Extension Office.

Farm Women Society 8 of Berks County sandwich sale.

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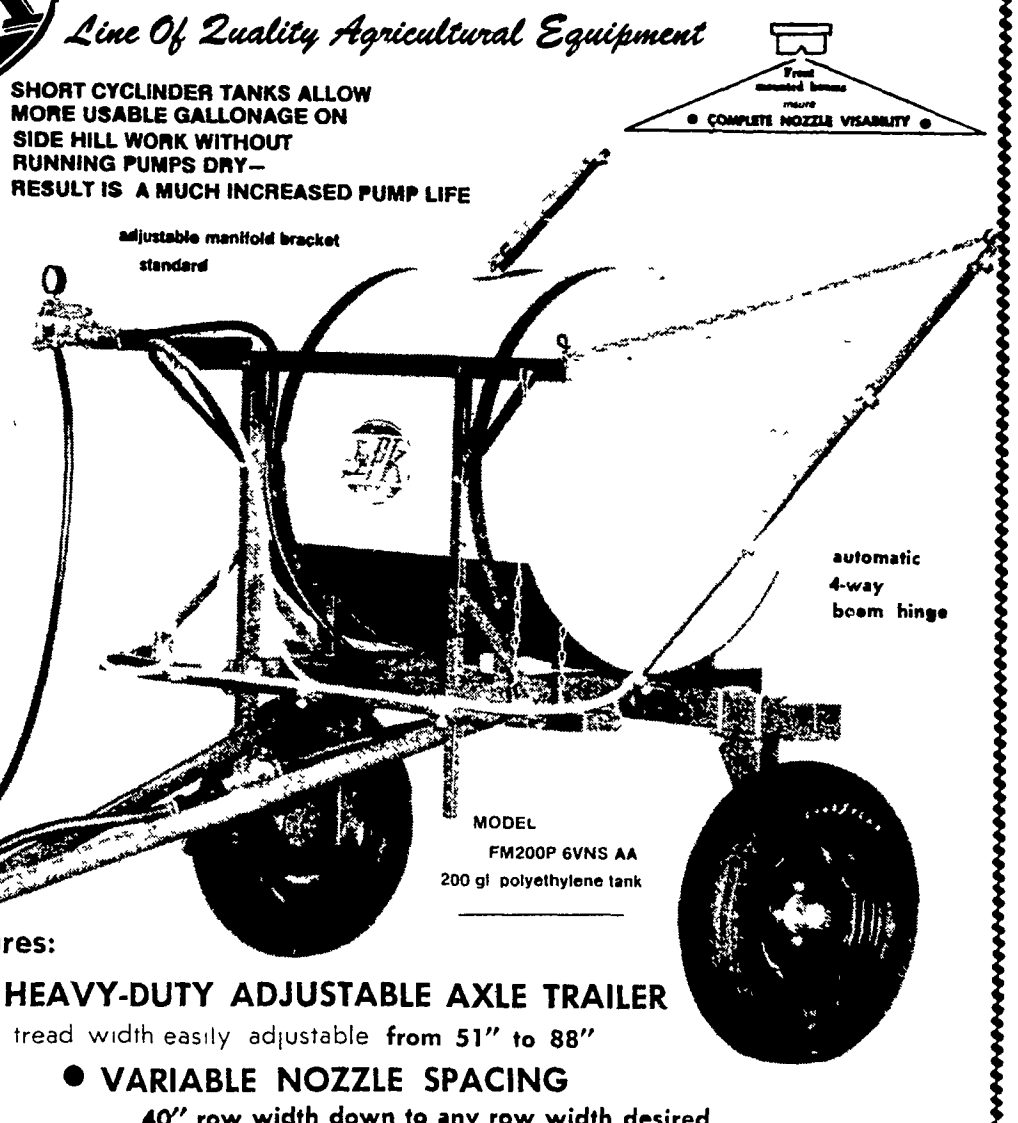

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By

Robert Rodale

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Suddenly, thousands of Americans are finding themselves with more spare time — and not by choice. Unemployment is only one source of idleness. Lack of spare cash for travel and expensive entertainment is also an important factor.

Although spare time is growing, the idea that it can be freely wasted may soon be hopelessly old-fashioned. In inflationary times, human capital goes up in value as the currency declines. In other words, as long as you can do something productive, you will be able to buy the necessities of life.

Millions of people have already learned that lesson and are trying to do things with their spare time that will give them alternative income sources. Craft activity is booming, as people seek to develop new skills and turn out useful products in their spare time.

Spare time activity can be commercialized, too. I'm convinced that many people can make good spare-time income and find enjoyment also by running what I call micro-businesses. They're ultra-small, have little risk, yet can produce good income and satisfaction. You can enter some micro-business fields with as little as $200 in capital.

Garden-starting is a great field to enter now. Demand for vegetable gardens is at an all-time high, yet people don't relish the hard work of spading a patch of lawn to get the garden going.

With a good tiller, you can dig up a garden, smooth out

the soil, and even fertilize and plant in a few hours. You don't have to be an expert gardener to get a garden started, although having a basic knowledge of gardening does help. Most important is knowing how to handle a tiller and having access to sources of compost, mulch and organic fertilizers needed to get humus into hardpan soils.

You probably wouldn't get rich being a "garden starter," but it would be a source of additional income where one didn't exist before. And you might wind up carving out a new career for yourself.

There are other jobs that you can do with little capital. For example, a used pick-up truck will put you in the hauling business. You could place notices about your service in conspicuous places such as the community bulletin board in your local supermarket, or a nearby college. Or, you could place a small ad in your local newspaper. Before you start, however, be sure to check with state or local authorities to see if any kind of license is needed.

It shouldn't take long before the word spreads. People who've had a cumbersome piece of old furniture in their basement or attic for a long time may finally find it convenient to have it removed, once they hear about you.

If you're already a home handyman, the obvious answer to your employment situation is to put your talent to use around your neighborhood. Just think of the jobs that are waiting to be done. Someone needs a door hung or a window repaired. Another person's vacuum cleaner is on the blink. Somebody else wants shelves built.

You don't have to be a technician for most repair jobs. The majority are simple, if you have some basic mechanical knowledge. Public library shelves are jammed with repair manuals of one kind or another. So it's an easy matter to get the information. All you have to do is put it to use.

Another "natural" sideline, in view of the rising cost of sugar, is beekeeping. For less than $100 you can get a hive of bees started that will produce about 100 pounds of honey: Fifty for you to sell and 50 for the bees to keep.

Walter Burkey, a retired mailman who lives in Malvern, PA, has been keeping bees for almost 40 years. He has 21 hives of his own and takes care of another 20 for different people. "I estimate I spend about 12 hours per year per hive," he said. "You've got to know what you're doing, but bees are not a lot of work."

If you decide that beekeeping could be a money-maker for you, it would be worthwhile to research the subject thoroughly before you get started. You'll probably save yourself several headaches and avoid a lot of extra work.

If you stop and think about it for a while, I'm sure you can come up with other ideas to make your idle hours productive. It's important to get out and look for these opportunities. What better time is there than right now?

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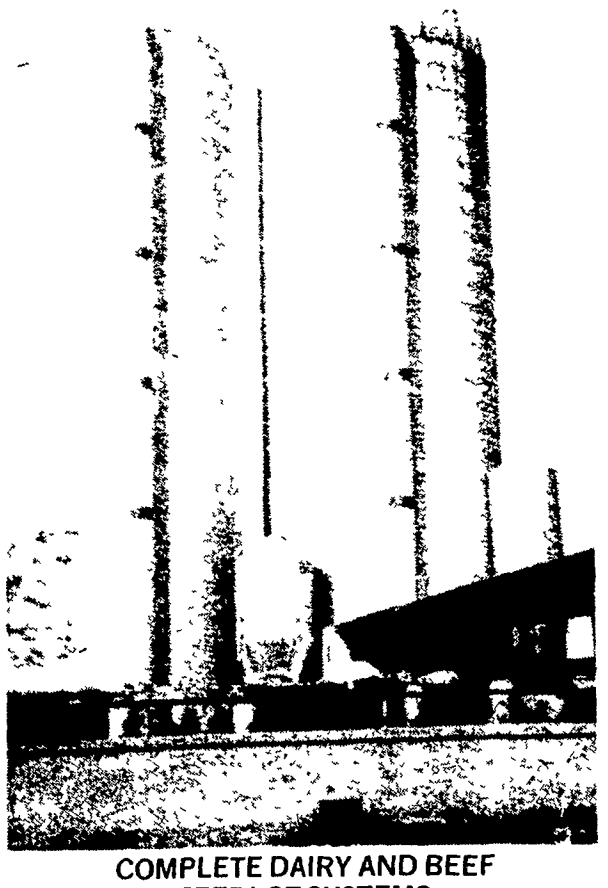

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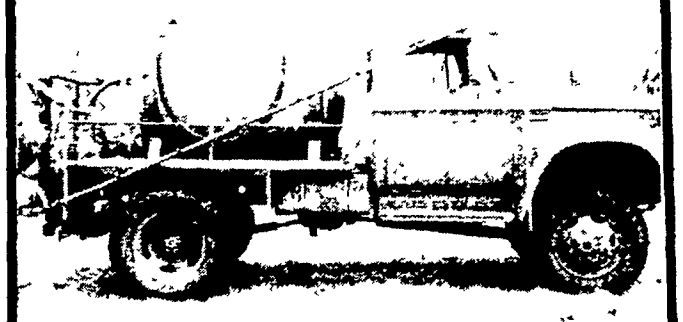

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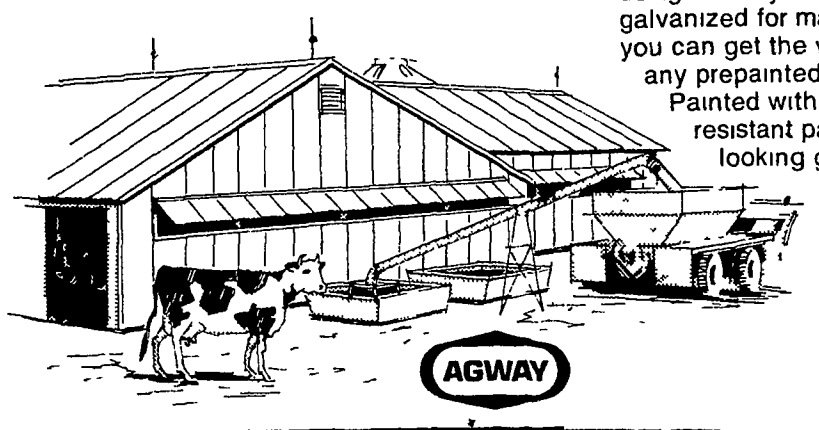

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Pa. House Considering Farm Co-op Legislation

Rep. Kenneth E. Brandt, (R-Lancaster,) said last week legislation to protect farmers from mismanagement of their cooperatives and insure a stronger voice in collective bargaining in the marketplace, is under consideration in the House.

"According to the U. S. Department of Agriculture, average farm prices have dropped 17 percent nationwide during the past year. In the past three years Pennsylvania has lost about 4,500 dairy farmers alone because of unfavorable economic conditions," Brandt said.

"Mismanagement of some farmers' cooperatives has added to the problem. Last year some 940 members of the Lehigh Valley Farmers Cooperative were assessed $3.8 million to pay a debt about which most of them were unaware.

Under state cooperative laws, farmers share in both the fruit of milk sales and the failures of their cooperatives. Lehigh's crisis hit many dairymen in the state.

"As a result, a resolution has been reported out of committee which directs the House Agriculture committee to investigate all aspects of farmer's cooperatives, including their management, financial structure and the responsibilities of farmers who serve on their boards of directors.

"The intent of the proposed investigation is to develop legislation which would require stronger accounting procedures, possibly under state control."

Brandt, a member of the Agriculture Committee, said public hearings will be held later this month on the Lehigh Valley Farmers' Cooperative, and then additional hearings will be held on all the co-ops around the State.

"The investigation will include virtually every aspect of cooperative operation in Pennsylvania, particularly the responsibilities of boards of directors," Brandt said.

"Our intention is to draw sharply to the attention of farmer stockholders that they are responsible for the operation of their cooperative. We also want to delve into some of the problems with cooperatives who have either misjudged or have been victims of bad judgment on the part of their managers," Brandt added.

The committee will try to find out whether the conclusions presented in a year-old study of cooperatives are true — that managers have taken control from farmer members.

A second bill would strengthen the position of farmers' cooperatives in their relations with dealers, requiring dealers to bargain in good faith and to keep complete records of agreements with and payments to producers in such a manner as to facilitate audit.

The bill further gives the Department of Agriculture power to investigate complaints of false statements by dealers concerning market conditions, or the condition, quality and quantity of produce received.

The department may revoke a dealer's license for unethical practices or failure to pay farmers the money he owes them.

A third bill would require farmers' cooperatives to file bonds with the Department of State to protect their members, the maximum amount of a bond to be set at $200,000.

A fourth would create a three-man Agricultural Bargaining Board and provide for standards of farmer's associations to make sure they are financially sound and have binding agreements with their members.

This measure further provides that it shall be unlawful for a dealer to coerce a farmer in the exercise of his right to join a cooperative, discriminate against him because he is a member of a farmers' association, or pay him not to join one.

The Agricultural Bargaining Board could be called in to arbitrate disputes between farmers and dealers as to the fair price of farm commodities.

Taylor Appointed Charolais Director

Appointment of Stephen A. Taylor as director of foreign marketing for American-International Charolais Assn., has been announced by Dr. J. M. Gossett, executive vice president.

A native of Houston, Taylor for the past 18 months has been employed as assistant manager of a 15,000-acre ranch at San Jose, Costa Rica in Central America. He succeed Jorge Luengas, who resigned to return to his Tampico, Mexico home.

"Taylor's knowledge of tropical cattle and agriculture makes him a strong asset in the association's foreign marketing program," the executive officer stated. "He will be responsible for maintaining the high level of exports of Charolais and Charbray cattle to the Latin countries. In 1973, Charolais led all breeds in total numbers exported."

A 1972 graduate of Sam Houston State University at Huntsville, TX Taylor has spent most of his life on purebred ranches and working with beef cattle. He is the son of Everett Taylor, well-known manager of Texas commercial and purebred ranches, and Mrs. Taylor, who also resides in Costa Rica.

While serving as assistant manager of Hacienda Chapernal at San Jose, young Taylor's responsibilities included breeding, selection, health and nutrition of 1200 head of purebred Charolais cattle. He also assisted with the marketing of purebred bulls and fitting cattle for expositions in Central America.

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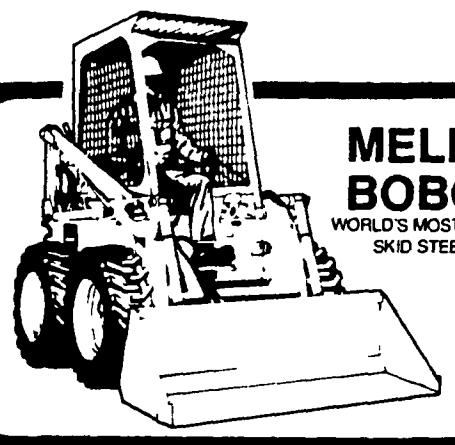

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Maryland Researchers Look At Solar Power for Farms

In grandfather's day on the farm, poultry houses were often built in half-monitor fashion, permitting a row of high windows facing south to take advantage of winter sunshine for sanitation purposes.

Pork producers also followed this practice to a lesser extent - sometimes trying for solar inputs from two sides of a building by means of either a monitor or gambrel roof.

But commercial broiler-growing and egg-laying operations, with their factory-like emphasis on mass production in a windowless environment, changed all that. So did modern-day confinement houses for swine. And the "sunshine" farm buildings of grandfather's era became largely strange-looking, abandoned relics in the wake of urban development or farm consolidations.

Agricultural engineers at the nation's land-grant universities aren't forecasting a return to the old-fashioned buildings and outmoded production systems of an earlier age. But they concede that current concern with the nation's energy situation merits a re-examination of those once-popular energy-thrifty concepts.

Their thinking, of course, has been motivated by the fact that petroleum, natural gas and electrical power have been teetering on the brink of scarcity for the past two years. This at a time when U.S. farmers are facing increased challenges to help stave off worldwide starvation.

Illustrating this concern is a bellwether project just under way in Maryland. It involves a small group of agricultural engineers and economists at the University of Maryland in College Park and the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Research Service (USDA-ARS) national program staff at neighboring Beltsville (Prince Georges County).

This multi-discipline team has embarked on a nationwide study to assess the feasibility of solar energy applications for a wide array of agricultural operations in major production areas throughout the nation.

The six-month project is being funded by a grant of $98,678 from the National Science Foundation, headquartered in nearby Washington, D.C. It was approved on Jan. 24 by the board of regents of the University of Maryland.

Project manager and principal investigator is Dr. Andrew M. Cowan, associate professor of agricultural engineering and also extension food processing engineer at the University of Maryland in College Park.

Associate investigator is Dr. Filmore E. Bender, professor of agricultural and resource economics at the College Park campus. Dr. Bender's chief role will be to conduct a cost-effectiveness study relating to the over-all program objectives.

Consultant and advisor for the project will be Dr. W. Lamar Harris, department chairman for agricultural engineering at the University of Maryland.

Other representatives from the College Park campus working on the project team are Mrs. Teri H. Tracy of Ithaca, N.Y., a graduate student, and Richard W. Dillon, a research assistant, both in the department of agricultural and resource economics, and J. Douglas Hansford, a research assistant in the department of agricultural engineering.

The University of Maryland team's efforts are being monitored by Dr. Landy B. Altman, Jr., staff scientist for agricultural structures and electrification on the USDA-ARS national program staff at Beltsville. Dr. Altman serves as a pass-through coordinator for administration of the National Science Foundation grant.

Major purpose of the study project is to gather information which can be used to direct an over-all experimental research program on agricultural applications of substituting solar energy for fossil fuels such as liquified petroleum (LP-gas), diesel oil and natural gas.

Its scope will cover a wide range of farm-related operations, including grain drying, greenhouse heating and cooling, and heating for chick brooders, hog farrowing pens and other types of livestock and poultry shelters. Also, drying of peanuts, forage and tobacco; irrigation water pumping, and generation of steam and power for feed processing in commercial livestock feedlot operations.

The project team began functioning on Feb. 14; cut-off date is Aug. 13, Dr. Cowan reported.

In line with a PERT schedule (Planning, Evaluation, Review Technique), criteria have been developed for assessing solar energy applications in specific farm-related operations. The team considers it important that broad contacts be established with people interested and knowledgeable with all agricultural operations and in all sectors of the country. Such contacts will be developed by telephone conversations and follow-up letters.

Additional follow-up will involve a nationwide tour to permit personal interviews, firsthand observations and evaluation by members of the Maryland team. Paralleling these engineering investigations will be an ongoing study to estimate the magnitude of fuel replacement which could be possible if some or all of the solar energy applications are found to be practical.

Slightly past midpoint in the study, a national conference is planned in the Maryland area - possibly in late May at the Center of Adult Education on the University of Maryland campus in College Park.

This conference would provide an evaluation of the initial survey results and firsthand investigations. Those in attendance should have an opportunity to provide additional ideas on methodology and strategy.

All of these inputs will then be considered in preparing a final report by the project's end in late summer. This report will contain recommendations for a nationwide experimental research program which allocates limited funds in a manner to achieve greatest return. Maximum scrutiny will be on those sectors where the greatest substitution of solar energy can be made for fossil fuels.

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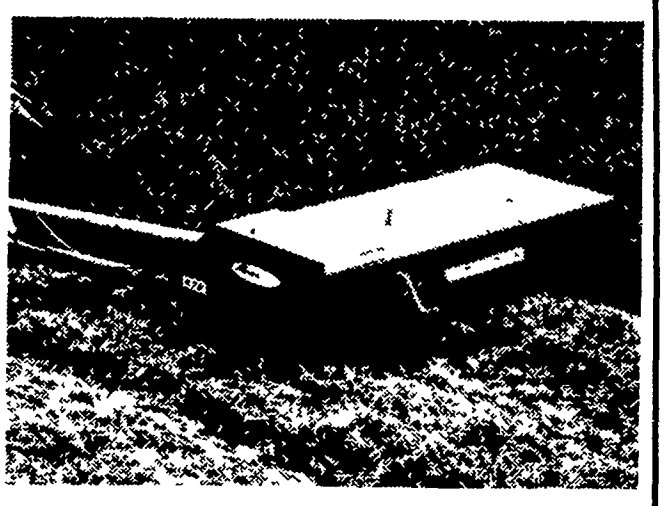

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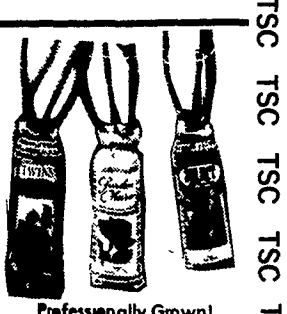

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Faced with the realities of a sharply reduced 1974-75 foodgrain crop and a precarious stock position, India has mounted a massive wheat import effort, in the process nearly tripling its wheat purchases from the United States. So great and so rapid has been the expansion, in fact, that India in fiscal 1975 may take some $800 million of U.S. farm products and in calendar 1975 come close to being a billion dollar U.S. farm market. And in contrast to the 1960's, when such trade was largely on a concessional basis, over 85 percent of it this year is expected to be for cash.

The United States will thus become India's leading agricultural supplier in fiscal 1975, and India will become this country's largest single commercial market for wheat. Last season, India ranked fourth as a U.S. wheat market behind the People's Republic of China, Japan, and the Soviet Union.

These large wheat imports come at a time of concern over another import - oil - which already has cost India much in terms of foreign exchange, domestic inflation, and scarcity of raw materials for fertilizer and pesticide manufacture. But since the initial shock of the 1973 increase in oil prices, its effects have increasingly been assuaged by greater foreign exchange earnings for India's exports - including sugar - and by special arrangements to help India foot its oil import bill. Such efforts have allowed India to purchase the foodgrain needed to get it through the current tight situation.

In fact, India in fiscal 1975 will spend about $700 million for U.S. wheat imports alone, as the United States boosts exports there to about 4.6 million metric tons from the 1.6 million tons shipped in fiscal 1974.

This pickup in trade, following a precipitous drop in late 1971 through March 1973, began in the spring of 1973, with the heaviest purchases made since mid-1974. Subsequently, U.S. wheat has been moving to India at the rate of about 85,000 tons a week - a pace expected to continue until India begins rebuilding stocks virtually wiped out in the past few years of poor crops and reduced imports.

Of the estimate for fiscal 1975, 2.2 million tons already had been shipped in July-December and 1.5 million purchased then for early 1975 delivery. Subsequent cash sales have lifted 1974-75 export commitments to more than 4.6 million tons.

India will get another 2.6 million or so tons from other suppliers - mainly the European Community, Argentina, Canada, and Australia - for a total fiscal 1975 wheat import of possibly 7.2 million tons. This is nearly double the 3.7 million total imported in fiscal 1974 and not too far off the 7.8 million peak reached in the severe drought year of 1966.

Virtually all of these imports are being made by the Food Corporation of India (FCI), which is responsible for grain distribution to Government-operated fair-price shops in urban centers, and occasionally in drought-stricken rural areas. Private firms are not allowed to import grain into India if payment in foreign exchange is necessary.

In addition to the wheat purchases, India will take its usual amount of Nepalese rice - between 200,000 and 400,000 tons annually - depending on the size of Nepal's crop. There is a flourishing border trade in this product, with farmers and marketing cooperatives in Nepal accepting Indian rupees as payment for their deliveries of rice to border towns. Rice purchases on the world market, on the other hand, have been virtually nil recently, owing to the much higher prices for this product than for wheat. However, prospects for rice imports from Pakistan and Thailand in 1975 have been discussed in trade talks with Indian officials. Sales of more Indian industrial products to these countries could, in fact, trigger considerable imports of rice.

India also imports some coarse grains, although these purchases have waned recently as wheat has gained ascendancy. In fiscal 1974, India imported over a million tons of sorghum, about two-thirds of it from the United States. Less than half as much will likely be purchased in fiscal 1975, with almost all of it coming from Argentina.

This decline reflects a preference among most

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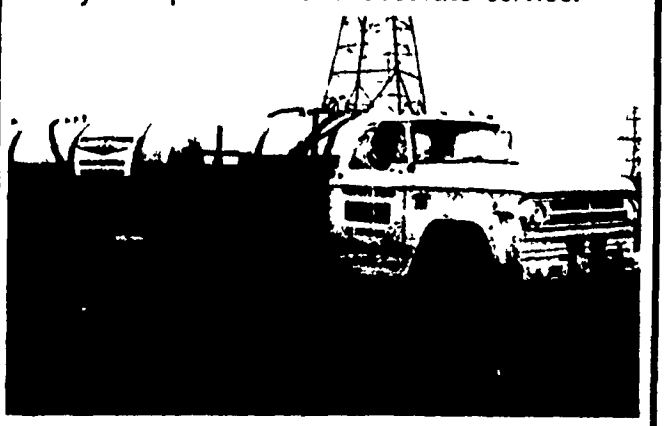
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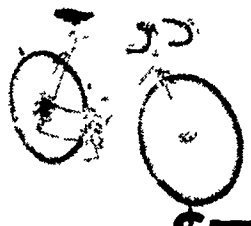
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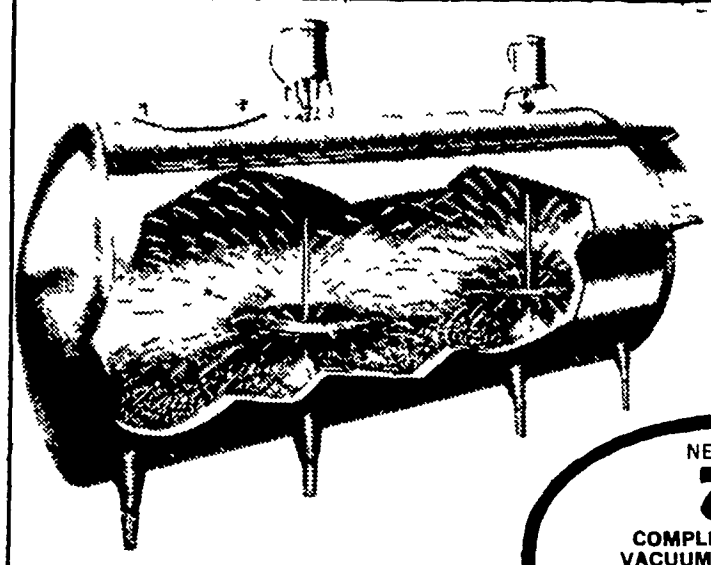
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urban consumers in deficit States (particularly Maharashtra, Gujarat, and West Bengal) for wheat over sorghum, plus the smaller cash loss incurred by the Government for distribution of wheat. Moreover, the delivered Bombay price for imported coarse grains is now 80 percent of that for wheat, compared with about 60 percent in more normal years.

Precipitating the jump in grain imports has been growing difficulty in procuring and distributing domestic grain - a problem India seemingly had overcome a few years ago following break-through in grain production brought by the Green Revolution.

Those breakthroughs pushed Indian food grain production to a record 108.4 million tons in 1970-71 from the low 72.3 million of the 1965-66 drought year. Most of the wheat is harvested from late March to early May, providing supplies for distribution during July-June, the agricultural year in India. India in the early 1970's thus found itself virtually self-sufficient in grain, with trains from northern India replacing ships from North America as the main carriers of wheat to deficit areas. (During 1971-73, the Punjab and Haryana sent over 3 million tons of wheat to other areas of India each year.)

But stocks started to be undermined as malevolent weather hit again in 1972 and 1974, reducing slightly yields of high-yielding varieties of wheat and rice, stars of the Green Revolution, and bringing sharp reductions in traditional varieties in rain-fed areas.

When the poor weather first struck in the summer of 1972, lowering 1972-73 foodgrain output to 97 million tons, the Government was able to draw on nearly 9 million tons of foodgrain stocks to meet the emergency. The next year India had a better foodgrain crop of 103.6 million tons, despite a 2.6-million-ton drop in wheat output.

At that point, however, the real difficulties began. The country entered the 1974-75 season with stocks drawn down sharply, hoping that good monsoon weather would boost 1974-75 output to record levels and thus allow replenishment of the depleted stocks. But rains were inadequate, causing sharp declines in both rice and coarse grain output. Current estimates place the rice crop some 4.2 million tons under the 1973-74 record of 43.7 million tons (milled basis), while coarse gains (including 1975 barley) are also estimated about 4 million tons below last year's harvest of 28 million. And, the new wheat crop, to be harvested during March-May, is now projected to be only slightly better than last year's 22.1-million-ton harvest.

These difficulties have reflected back into the grain procurement and distribution system. Virtually all of the 2.6 million-ton decline in 1973-74 wheat production showed up in reduced Government procurement of wheat during 1974 - less than 2 million tons, compared with almost 4.5 million in 1973. As a result, fair price shops in deficit States like Maharashtra and Gujarat received only about half their expected wheat from domestic supplies, and rapid inflation by then had overtaken all of India.

The inflation - marked by a 35-percent jump in food prices during 1974 - exacerbated problems in the wheat market, as farmers sold to private traders whenever possible rather than for the fixed price offered by the Government.

In addition, during 1973 and 1974 some farmers in the Punjab and other surplus producing States apparently fed wheat in their expanding dairy and poultry operations as a result of lower prices for it than for corn and sorghum. These price differences arose because private traders may transport coarse grains across food zone lines while they are not permitted to do this with wheat (except for Uttar Pradesh, with two zones, each State comprises one food zone). Hence, some of the Punjabi farmers shipped their corn and sorghum to defict States at higher prices ($160 to $200 per ton), retaining their wheat for feed.

The Gove.nment responded to the market distortions by upping its procurement price for wheat to $140 per ton in March 1974 from around $100 in 1973. But by then deliveries to procurement centers had fallen to token levels.

The Government also attacked the problem by permitting flour millers to pay farmers $188 per ton for wheat if they would deliver half their purchases to procurement centers for $140 per ton. While suffering a loss of about $50 per ton for half the wheat thus purchased, millers made up for their losses through profits from wheat products sold in the cities. And they, of course, found this a better deal than having no wheat at all - a situation many had found themselves in during early 1974 as domestic supplies dropped and imports were not yet arriving in volume. Partly because of such measures, representatives of the flour mills purchased over 2 million tons of wheat in the Punjab and Haryana in 1974 for shipment to deficit States.

This expanded role of the flour mills mirrors India's rising commercial output of flour - it tripled between 1967 and 1973 to surpass 3 million tons. That growth, in turn, has been fueled by changing consumption habits among wealthier urban consumers, who increasingly buy finished bakery products rather than wait in line for wheat at fair price shops.

This year, wheat procurement should be helped some by the Government's recent price measures, including a boost in procurement prices in the Punjab to over $155 per ton in 1975. However, rice may present a problem because of the sharp shortfall in 1974-75 output, and purchases of other crops will likewise suffer from reduced outturns.

In addition to grains, India is importing larger amounts of U.S. fats and oils - especially tallow. Cash sales of U.S. tallow to India tripled between calendar 1973 and 1974 to 49,000 tons, valued at

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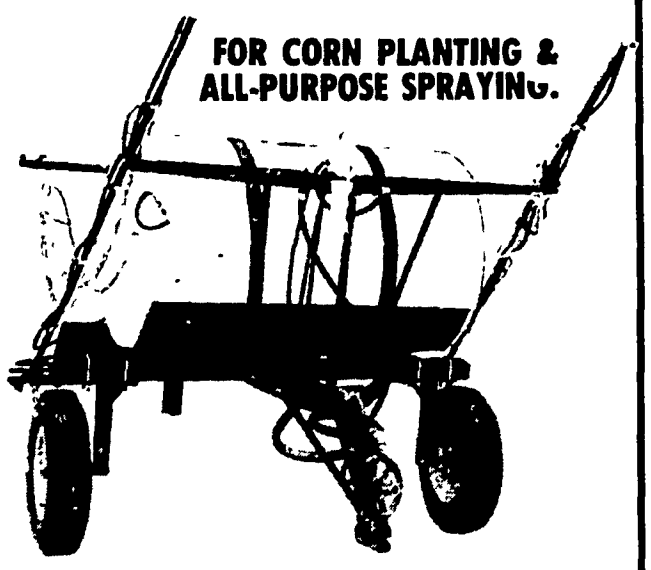

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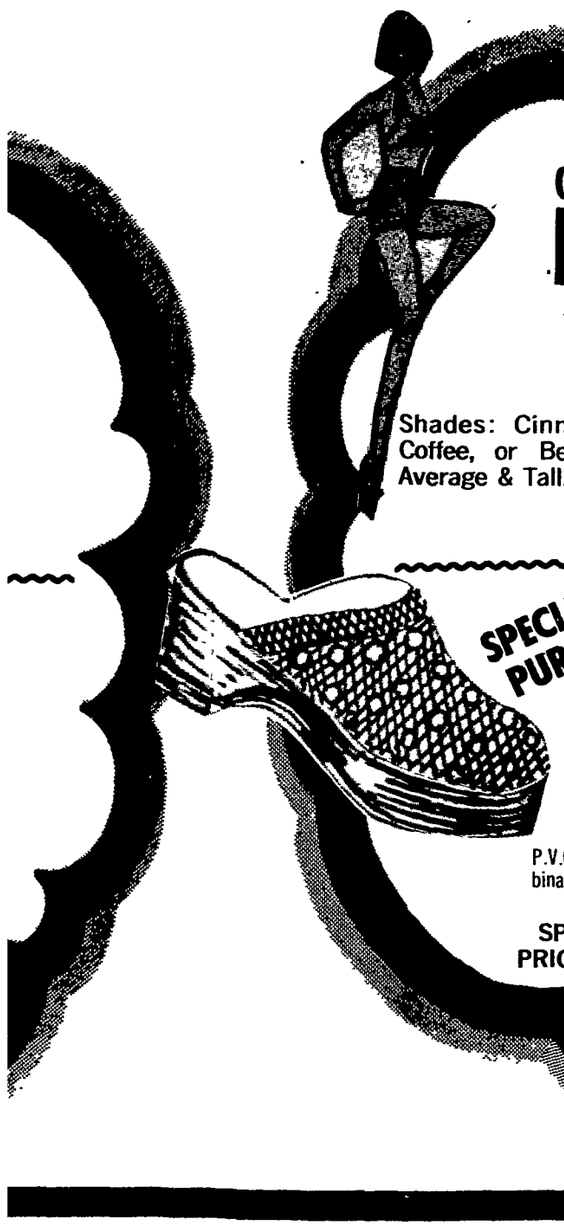

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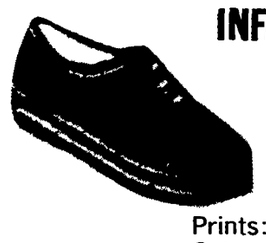

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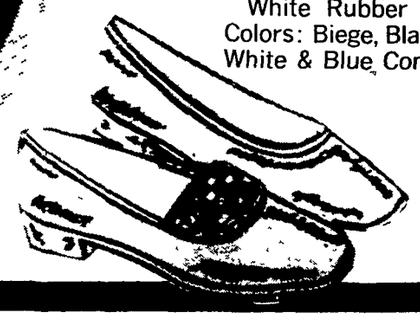

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$21.5 million, and may hit $40 million in fiscal 1975. However, these volumes are still well below the record 152,000 tons shipped in 1971. U.S. exports of soybean oil to India in 1974 were an estimated 800 tons under the 1973 level of 23,000, but higher prices boosted their value to $17.4 million from $10.7 million in 1973.

India might also purchase some U.S. cotton in fiscal 1975, resuming a trade that flourished until 1971, when shipments of cotton to India under P.L. 480 ended. However, the future of such trade will depend largely on foreign-exchange arrangements.

India's own cotton output has improved in staple length with the use of better varieties, and production will be a little higher this season. However, imports of 360,000 bales still will be needed to meet a rising demand for Indian textiles. This demand is being pushed up domestically by an ever-increasing population, although Indian per capita consumption of textiles remains very low. In addition, India has had considerable success during the last year in the textile export market, reflecting its low prices - under those of Far Eastern exporters.

The country still needs extra-long staple cotton and recently authorized imports of 33,000 bales from Egypt, but this is far short of the 287,000 bales imported from that country and the Sudan in 1972-73. Now that trade relations have been renewed with Pakistan, some 200,000 bales of medium-staple Pakistani cotton are expected in 1975 from this source.

India is also a small, but growing, cash market for U.S. tobacco, baby chicks, frozen poultry, and canned foods.

Besides the United States, the USSR is a major agricultural supplier to India, in calendar 1974 accounting for about 15 percent of the country's total farm imports - shipping 100,000 bales of cotton; 1.5 million tons of wheat, including 409,000 tons transshipped from Australia and Canada; and some sunflowerseed oil. The Soviet Union also provided vegetable oils and some other food items purchased in other countries for delivery to India.

Canada, Argentina, and Australia were the other top suppliers of cereals, while Bangladesh was an important supplier of jute, vegetables, and various food items.

India also has been a major market in recent years for Afghanistani raisins, fresh grapes, and almonds - shipped under trade agreements, in exchange for larger Indian exports of tea and industrial products to Afghanistan. In addition, Indian imports of palm oil from Malaysia have risen, helping compensate for sharply reduced imports of U.S. soybean oil, and the European Community sharply increased shipments of preserved milk to India in 1974.

Converting Forest Stands

Low quality oak forests in central Pennsylvania can be successfully converted to improved pulpwood species such as Japanese larch while maintaining wildlife food and cover, according to a 10-year experiment at The Pennsylvania State University.

The technique involves the underplanting of 2-year-old Japanese larch seedlings beneath a canopy of low-grade oaks and then "releasing" the seedlings by removing the undesirable trees with herbicides or by cutting with an axe or chainsaw.

Successful conversion of oak-hickory stands to Japanese larch was reported recently by Dr. Robert D. Shipman, forest ecologist, and Jeffrey B. Schmitt, graduate student from Philadelphia, both with Penn State's School of Forest Resources.

They suggest that landowners wanting to convert existing forest stands to another species can do so by one of two methods. If there is a market for the low-grade oaks, all or part of the trees can be harvested by chainsaw or axe for a small return on the cost of conversion. If no market is available, the trees can be killed with herbicides and left standing and later used for firewood.

Underplanted seedlings must be able to survive and grow rapidly, Dr. Shipman affirmed. The species to be planted must be relatively resistant to deer browsing. Both of these requirements were met during the 10-year study with Japanese larch.

The larch grew rapidly when freed from competing low-grade oaks. Deer browsed the larch, but this did not unduly affect the form or rate of growth, in height and diameter. The species is not preferred by deer. Ability to resist deer damage is exceedingly important in Pennsylvania oak forests, Dr. Shipman pointed out, since over-browsing by deer can alter the composition and growth of new stands.

Herbaceous and woody plants developed abundantly. This included species such as teaberry, bracken fern, whorled loosestrife, blackberry, wild sarsaparilla, and hay-scented ferns. These supplied deer with needed browse during the stand conversion process.

Removal of the oak "overstory" by cutting or by treating with herbicides resulted in a very noticeable increase in tree and shrub species. In fact, the number of species on cut areas nearly doubled the number found on untreated or "control" plots, Schmitt reported.

Dr. Shipman said a pelleted herbicide called fenuron killed undesirable trees over a 5-year period while enabling the 2-year old Japanese larch to grow 8 to 10 feet tall. In contrast, larch seedlings planted in uncut areas not treated with fenuron were only 18 inches tall in 5 years. Similiar growth responses were obtained on cut areas not treated with herbicides.

The investigators concluded that forest conversion, when properly applied, can improve the compatibility between excessive deer browsing and growth of new forests in Pennsylvania. Additional studies are underway to determine the effects of stand conversion on yellow poplar, one of the high quality hardwood trees often planted on good sites in the Commonwealth.

Equine Mortality Insurance Available

Morgan Horse owners throughout the nation can reap the benefits of a recent agreement between the American Morgan Horse Owners Association and the Rhulen Agency, Inc. The AMHA, according to Albert Drowne, association Administrative Vice-President, has endorsed the Monticello, New York based specialty insurance firm's mortality coverage program for its membership. Under the plans of the program, all association Morgan Horse owners will be eligible for Equine Mortality Insurance at a special discount rate. Morgan Horses owned by association members, can be covered up to $100,000 per animal under the new plan.

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Youths Invited To Judge At PSU Dairy Expo

Dairy cattle judging, first event of the 50th Annual Dairy Exposition at The Pennsylvania State University, will be held Saturday, April 12, at the Dairy Production Center, University Park. The contest will feature 4-H and FFA members, along with Penn State students.

Contestants will compete for 12 awards and 5 rotating trophies. The high individual overall in 4-H and FFA, and the high individual for each breed in 4-H and FFA, will receive awards.

Invitations to compete have been sent to FFA and 4-H clubs throughout the Commonwealth. The rotating trophies will be given to the high 4-H team, the high FFA team, the high individual amateur, the high individual professional overall, and the high individual professional in oral reasons.

This year's contest is under the direction of co-chairmen Steve Lyon from Troy and James Bates from Jamestown. The annual Dairy Exposition is presented by the Dairy Science Club at Penn State. FFA and 4-H members will compete in separate classes and Penn State students will take part in amateur or professional classes. The latter includes Penn State students who have taken a course in dairy cattle judging or have competed in intercollegiate judging.

The contest will begin at 9:30 a.m. April 12 at the Dairy Production Center. Judging classes will be held in the morning and oral reasons will be given that afternoon in Borland Laboratory. All scores will be tallied that night and the respective winners will be notified. Awards will be presented at a banquet on May 3.

The Penn State Dairy Exposition will include a Dairy Princess Contest on April 23 and will be climaxed with "show day" on May 3. Events of May 3 will include a dairy cattle fitting and showing contest, a celebrity milking contest, a sorority milking contest, a fraternity milk "chugging" contest, and a calf dressing contest.

Three Retire At Sperry

H. Raymond Good, 63, of 344½ E. Main St., New Holland, will retire from Sperry New Holland on April 1 after 23 years with the company.

A production assembler, Good joined the company in March, 1952, as a bench hand and has since worked as an assembler in special products.

John W. Shirk, 62, of East Earl R1, will also retire April 1. He has worked as a plant servicer since joining the company in 1971.

Robert L. Bishop, 62, of 126 Stony Battery Road, Salunga, retired March 1 as a maintenance mechanic. He had been with Sperry New Holland since 1956.

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At a recent meeting of the PennAg Industries Association board of directors William E. Ryan, President of Jesse C. Stewart Co., Pittsburgh was elected third vice-president of the association to fill a vacancy created by the resignation of Paul E. Homan of Greenville. Homan is leaving Pennsylvania.

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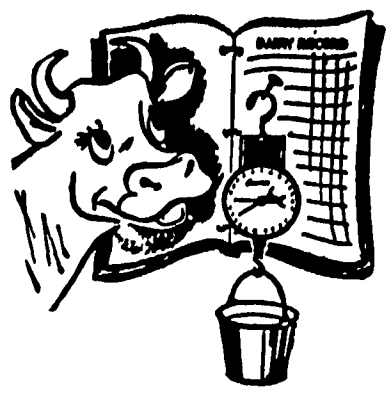

YORK COUNTY DHIA MONTHLY REPORT

February

Sinking Spring Farm, R5, York had both the high herd for the month and the two highest lactations for February. Wetoria, a registered 6 year old Holstein, was the high cow with 22,341 lbs. of milk and 955 lbs. of fat in 305 days. Bernidne a 7 year old herdmate of Wetoria's produced 19,829 lbs. of milk and 872 lbs. of fat.

For a herd average, Sinking Spring Farm produced 60.3 lbs. of milk and 2.49 lbs. of daily fat on 67.5 cows. The second high herd of David Stewart, R1 Delta, produced 54.1 lbs. of milk and 2.16 lbs. of fat on 56 cows.

NAME OF HERD OWNER	BREED	NO. COWS	COW DAYS IN MILK	MILK lbs.	% FAT	FAT lbs.
Sinking Spring FmInc	B3	67.5	92.5	60.3	4.1	2.49
David Stewart	3	56.0	87.9	54.1	4.0	2.16
Paul R. King	3	46.3	85.5	49.2	4.0	1.98
Avalong Farms Inc.	B3	46.8	79.9	47.5	4.1	1.95
Curtis V. Thompson	B8	41.8	87.3	51.9	3.7	1.94+
Robert R. Stewart	B3	36.9	99.4	45.9	4.2	1.92
Lynn Wolf	B3	36.8	93.6	53.7	3.5	1.88
Guy A. Leader & Sons	2	75.0	89.5	33.8	5.2	1.85
Ira L. Boyer	3	49.0	91.4	51.5	3.6	1.84
Smysers Richlawn Fms.	B3	66.8	83.5	48.4	3.7	1.80
Gum Tree Farm	B3	40.6	93.0	46.8	3.8	1.79
Elmer Myers	3	46.9	83.0	41.9	4.2	1.77
Guy A. Leader & Sons	2	75.7	86.7	35.0	5.0	1.75
Charles A. Parrish	8	13.0	93.0	44.0	4.0	1.74
Robert J. Reheard	B3	44.6	95.7	43.9	3.9	1.70+
Leroy Bupp	B3	57.7	89.7	40.6	4.2	1.69
Robert W. Mays	B3	64.9	90.7	44.3	3.8	1.67
Beshore Farms	3	46.8	83.0	41.3	4.0	1.65
Harold Brown	3	63.0	93.8	42.6	3.8	1.63
Mc Ral Dairy Farm	B8	104.8	88.9	43.4	3.8	1.63
Rutter Bros.	B2	79.6	87.3	31.8	5.1	1.62
Vincent C. Webb	B8	73.3	89.3	41.8	3.9	1.62+
Kenneth L. Rexroth	B3	72.0	82.5	42.1	3.8	1.58
Earl Fuhrman	B8	64.9	81.5	38.0	4.1	1.57
Hidden Springs Farm	B3	54.3	80.4	37.8	4.2	1.57
H. E. Fetrow & Sons	B3	79.9	84.7	41.8	3.7	1.56
Melvin Diem Jr.	G8	54.8	94.6	37.6	4.1	1.56+
Roy & Frank Feeser	B3	117.9	81.9	39.5	3.9	1.55
Eugene M. Kilgore	B8	57.0	86.0	37.9	4.1	1.54+
Bernard L. Warner	G3	47.4	92.9	40.5	3.8	1.52+
Daniel A. Rohrbaugh	B3	47.9	92.5	38.7	3.9	1.51
Melvin R. Lehr	B3	31.0	84.3	36.9	4.1	1.51
William H. Fantom	B8	58.1	85.6	38.9	3.9	1.50
Harold Good No. 2	B8	75.1	85.4	39.7	3.8	1.50+
Carl Anderson	B8	49.8	91.0	40.1	3.7	1.49
Larry R. Stump	B3	39.0	91.8	37.9	3.9	1.49
Leroy Hertzler	B8	31.4	87.1	40.5	3.7	1.48
Wayne L. Sweitzer	B3	49.0	90.1	40.7	3.6	1.48
Geo. Knight	B8	125.9	88.6	35.4	4.1	1.46
Rodman C. Thompson	3	51.0	79.8	38.6	3.8	1.46
T & M & M K Walker	G3	38.0	88.6	37.1	3.9	1.46
Ellis Crowl	B8	65.1	93.9	35.9	4.0	1.45
Wayne B. Mummert	B3	70.1	74.2	36.9	3.8	1.42
Wayne L. Sweitzer	B3	49.0	86.3	39.4	3.6	1.42
Dennis L. McWilliams	B3	60.0	79.4	35.8	3.9	1.39
Charles Herr & Son	B3	42.8	89.3	32.6	4.2	1.37
Fawn Valley Farm	B3	57.7	88.7	33.2	4.1	1.35
Fred Sprenkle	3	35.5	71.6	38.1	3.5	1.35
C. Robert Kilgore	B3	45.1	76.1	32.6	4.1	1.35+
Philip R. Stambaugh	B3	46.7	86.2	35.8	3.8	1.35
Orn-Cos Ponderama Dy, O-S	B8	55.5	82.7	37.8	4.7	1.76
Robert M. Bates, O-S	B8	52.0	90.7	44.1	3.8	1.69
Charles A. Emig, O-S	G3	47.0	87.2	41.9	3.9	1.62+
Donald Eyster, O-S	B3	26.0	78.4	39.3	4.0	1.59+
Doll Zirkle, O-S	B3	32.0	81.3	38.0	3.8	1.44
William Ruppert, O-S	B8	56.7	69.0	38.2	3.6	1.37
Eisenhart Bros., O-S	B8	53.7	86.9	32.5	4.2	1.37
Clair E. Myers, O-S	B3	35.8	69.5	34.4	3.9	1.35

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NAME OF HERD OWNER	BREED	DATE TESTED MO.	DAY	DAYS ON TEST	MILK lbs.	% FAT	FAT lbs.
Geo. Knight							
Pearlea	3	6	3	305	14,566	4.2	606
Pride	3	4	2	305	16,631	3.5	578
157	3	2	6	305	12,916	4.5	576
158	3	2	11	305	13,910	3.8	522
David Stewart							
Pepper	3	4	3	285	21,173	3.8	807
Fawn Valley Farm							
Pauline	3	6	9	305	17,628	3.4	607
Jackie	3	4	8	305	16,269	4.4	710
Emory & Wm. Kilgore							
465	3	4	2	298	12,040	4.2	505
William H. Fantom							
50R	3	9	3	305	16,908	4.0	675
42	3	4	5	305	14,019	4.0	559
Ellis Crowl							
Dee	3	7	3	305	17,319	4.1	715
Rosetta	3	4	7	290	17,011	3.7	631
Judy	3	5	8	305	16,423	4.1	667
Minnie2	3	4		305	13,348	3.8	512
Harold Good No. 2							
14	3	5	5	304	16,791	3.8	634
21	3	5	6	228	13,850	3.7	515
58	3	8	1	305	20,002	3.7	743
Sinking Spring FmInc.							
Berndne	3	7	6	305	19,829	4.4	872
Wetoria	3	6	4	305	22,341	4.3	955
Sun	3	4	4	305	19,637	3.6	709
Rutter Bros.							
Dawn S	2	6		305	10,956	5.5	601
Willa	2	4	11	305	12,733	5.1	652
Pan	2	7	8	224	12,123	4.4	528
Beshore Farms							
Dena	3	5	4	283	16,130	3.8	613
Walter J. Miller							
Mert	3	10	1	305	17,707	3.1	549
Selma	3	4	5	305	18,823	4.1	772
Moe 2	3	4	6	305	15,811	3.5	552
Jane	3	2	7	305	13,184	4.1	547
Gum Tree Farm							
May	3	10	1	305	17,431	4.3	751
Harold Good							
118	2	5	8	305	12,385	4.9	611
93A	2	3	5	305	14,191	4.1	588
109A	2	3	2	305	10,121	5.0	507
135	2	8	3	305	12,618	4.1	521
59	2	3	6	305	12,818	4.6	591
142	2	4	4	305	11,535	5.0	575
111 B	2	3	11	305	12,372	4.9	604
Fred Sprenkle							
Dottie	3	1	3	293	15,628	3 3	514
Eugene M. Kilgore							
Bess	3	4	11	305	17,025	3.3	566
Fran	3	2	7	305	12,292	4.3	525
Sis	3	2	7	305	13,326	3.9	522
Honey	3	2	4	305	11,266	4.7	524
Missie	3	2	4	305	13,656	3.8	523
Earl Furhman							
Taffy	3	8	5	305	18,102	3.4	622
Barb	3	4	11	305	18,025	3.4	612
Hallie	3	3	4	292	14,393	3.7	532
Delight	3	3	1	291	15,453	4.2	646
Guy A. Leader & Sons							
Alma	2	9	2	305	14,421	4.6	661
Gail	2	8	8	295	12,553	5.0	633
Lorna	2	6	1	305	15,538	4.8	748
Cornela	2	6	2	295	13,826	4.9	677
Fern	2	3	7	305	15,644	4.5	703
Ann	2	3	7	298	13,053	4.4	570
Celle	2	7	1	305	11,673	5.0	578
Cara	2	2		305	11,256	4.8	537
Camille	2	2	1	301	11,559	4.5	520
Vincent C. Webb							
77	3	5	6	305	19,963	3.4	680
35	3	4	6	294	15,686	3.7	578
158	3	4	4	305	17,889	3.3	589
Roy & Frank Feeser							
Holly	3	6	4	291	14,686	3.8	558
Adelia	3	5	1	280	17,296	3.8	663
Fayne	3	4	9	258	13,937	3.8	536
Daisy	3	3	7	305	18,912	3.8	719
Lila	3	3	4	305	15,609	3.7	575
H. E. Fetrow & Sons							
Mel	3	6		305	18,952	3.5	655
Jill	3	4	10	254	13,301	3.8	505
Nig	3	3	7	305	16,891	3.7	619
Clara	3	2	3	305	14,464	4.1	589
Blackie	3	2	7	305	13,748	3.7	507
Adrian Rinehart							
30	3	5	3	283	12,675	4.2	529
61	3	3	6	305	14,385	3.7	539
Bernard L. Warner							
Ada	3	5	4	305	13,528	3.9	532
Robert R. Stewart							
Jean	3	5	4	297	15,938	3.4	549
Pearl	3	2	9	305	14,651	3.8	558
Beta	3	2	5	305	14,361	3.9	566
Julip	3	2	3	305	14,055	4.3	598
Smysers Richlawn Fms.							
Fay	3	5	4	305	22,151	3.4	762
Berta	3	5		305	15,085	3.6	537
Wendy	3	3		298	14,381	3.6	512
Dawn	3	2	2	305	13,839	4.1	564
T. Edwin Johnson							
Cleo	3	6	1	304	14,827	3.7	555
Leroy Bupp							
Vicky	3	7	8	305	16,925	4.0	682
Linda	3	7	7	305	17,746	3.5	617
Gent	3	4	3	305	15,571	4.0	624
Star 2	3	3	8	305	16,669	4.0	665
Eleanor	3	3	6	305	19,458	3.8	745

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Spring Holstein Show Slated

The Pennsylvania Holstein Association has announced plans for one of the country's major Holstein events of 1975. Involved are two consignment sales and the State Holstein Show on April 17, 18, and 19. All events are scheduled for the Farm Show Building in Harrisburg.

The schedule is as follows: Thursday, April 17 - Pa. State Calf Sale; Friday, April 18 - Pa. State Cow & Bred Heifer Sale; Saturday, April 19 - Pa. State Holstein Show.

The Calf Sale is an annual event with 200 head of Registered Holstein calves under one year old to be sold at auction. A new sales series starts in 1975 with the Cow & Bred Heifer Sale. It is anticipated that nearly 200 head will be consigned by breeders of Registered Holsteins in Pennsylvania. In addition to the females, plans also call for the sale of 10-12 Holstein bulls on Friday.

Both sales are managed by the Pennsylvania Holstein Association. Hired as auctioneers are the R. Austin Backus, Inc. sales organization, Mexico, NY and A. Doty Remsburg, Jefferson, MD.

Also an annual event is the State Holstein Show. Past experience indicates that 325-350 head will be paraded before the judge, Richard Brooks, well-known breeder of Paclamar Farms in Colorado. Always one of the largest and highest quality State Shows, the 1975 Pa. State Show should be one of the best ever.

Anticipation is growing among breeders across Pennsylvania as these events get closer. Also, it is known that people from all over the U.S. look forward each year to this big Holstein event. Indicative of this is the fact that in past years nearly 75 percent of the consignments to the Calf Sale were purchased by out-of-state buyers.

With over 700 of top Registered Holsteins, an easily accessable location in Harrisburg, and the organization of five Holstein staff members and 5100 members, everything points toward a successful event. It should be enjoyable and profitable for all consignors, buyers, exhibitors, and spectators

Further details may be obtained from the Pennsylvania Holstein Association, 839 Benner Pike, State College, Pa.

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Belle	3	6-7	305	19,769	3.6	712
Meg	3	2-9	305	13,116	4.2	546
Minnie	3	2-5	305	12,948	4.2	550
Kingpin	3	2-4	305	13,823	4.1	573
Hidden Springs Farm						
Blossom	3	7-9	256	14,391	4.2	600
Barb	3	4-2	305	16,545	3.9	649
Ruth	3	3-1	305	11,805	4.8	570
Dennis L. McWilliams						
1	3	6-4	305	14,764	4.2	618
5	3	5-7	305	14,601	3.5	512
6	3	4-7	305	15,699	3.6	571
46	3	3-1	305	15,650	3.3	512
Palmer McWilliams Jr.						
73	3	4-5	305	17,156	3.0	521
Elmer Myers						
Edna	3	4-5	305	17,027	3.9	656
T. & M. & M. K. Walker						
7700	3	5-3	305	15,434	4.1	631
9093	3	3-6	305	14,374	3.8	541
5070	3	2-6	305	14,222	3.6	515
Phillip D. Laughman						
Dandy	3	4-3	305	19,203	3.6	693
Greta	3	4-2	305	20,546	3.1	642
Anna	3	7-7	304	17,334	4.0	702
Avalong Farms Inc.						
Lily	3	9-1	305	15,538	4.7	728
Aggie	3	8-7	305	22,175	3.5	778
Philip R. Stambaugh						
Betsy	3	5-2	305	18,235	3.2	592
Earl E. Krone						
Carol	3	3	303	14,431	3.5	507
Wayne B. Mummert						
13	3	4-3	294	14,632	4.1	601
11	3	2-1	305	13,469	4.5	601
Desota & Robt. Burchett						
W62	3	7-10	305	18,209	3.9	712
AW21	3	7-7	275	13,057	4.3	560
AR55	3	5-5	305	15,979	3.6	569
BW48	3	5-3	305	16,771	3.3	549
AW55	3	6-3	305	17,178	4.0	694
W78	3	4	305	17,067	3.9	671
Dale & Darla Doll						
Doreen	3	5-4	303	15,511	3.8	597
Sadie	3	3-4	305	12,733	4.0	504
D. Fantom & E. Grodon						
Kim	3	3	305	12,396	4.3	537
Lynn Wolf						
Betty	3	3-3	305	18,937	3.2	615
Barb	3	2-6	297	14,922	3.7	550
Melvin Diem Jr.						
Lo Ann	3	8-5	305	13,054	4.3	557
Cheryl	3		302	17,708	3.4	599
Dixie	3	2-9	305	14,994	3.5	527
Janis 2	3	3-2	305	14,852	4.1	602
Dnaiel A. Rohrbaugh						
4	3	2-6	305	17,671	4.0	707
16	3	2-4	305	15,769	3.7	580
Horace E. Heindel						
Ila	3	4-3	297	16,901	4.7	802
Leanne	3	7-3	305	16,435	3.5	575
131	3	2-5	305	14,988	4.1	612
Carl Anderson						
49	3	4-4	294	14,241	3.8	537
Steven & Beth Staner						
Doll	2	3-8	305	11,088	4.7	521
Elvin R. Deiter						
Mardell	3	4-7	305	17,939	3.5	628
Holly	3	4-4	301	12,953	4.3	563
Jackie	3	3-2	305	15,411	3.3	508
John H. Doll Jr.						
Prince	3	4-10	285	12,862	4.1	532
Mc Ral Dairy Farm						
7A	3	9-4	305	15,822	4.3	674
51	3	3-11	305	16,664	3.6	596
64	3	2-11	305	19,705	3.6	713

Largest Rodeo Slated at Cowtown

The largest one day rodeo in the world will be held at Cowtown, Saturday May 3, 1975 at 7:30 p.m. The performance will be taped at that time to be shown later on "CBS Sports Spectacular". It is one of the 8 rodeos to be shown on CBS this season.

It can be said that it is the largest one day rodeo, because the total possible prize money with entry fees could exceed $18,000.00. This purse will undoubtedly attract Rodeo's top performers from all over the country. Saturday's show will consist of the 12 finalists in each event of a preliminary competition which will be held Friday.

Tickets to this colossal rodeo will be sold in advance by the Society of Friends for the benefit of a proposed retirement and nursing home to be built in Woodstown. The home will accomodate persons of all faiths.

For this special performance all tickets will be sold at $3.00 and may be obtained by calling one of these numbers: (609) 935-2333, (609) 769-0865, (609) 935-3323.

The extravaganza will be a rain or shine production.

Know Where the Activities Will Be?
Read the Farm Women Calendar.

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A big line of machinery right ready for your Spring work!! 7 tractors (IH "706", "656" w-NI "601" loader - "M" w-2-row mtd. "2MH" picker and "Cub Cadet" - Case "930D" - Ford "NAA" (600 size) - David Brown "1212D" w-hydra-shift - a real creampuff here!!). IH "203" s.p. combine. 2 balers. 3 choppers. 2 transport discs. 9 wagons (3 s.u., 3 kicker, 2 gravity, 1 flatbed). 3 elevators, 2 trucks, numerous 3-pt. items, 2 short-hopper blowers, cultipacker, 2 cultivators, 2 spreaders, NH 12' "490" haybine (new last Fall!), "Vibra-shank", 10' s.p. windrower, 4 sets plows (IH "700" auto-reset 6b. - 16" and "540" 4b. - 16", Case 5b. 16", and 3 pt. Oliver 14"), much, much more!! D & L Farms, Owners. Another Rumsey Sale!! Contact us at Bath, NY for info, or to have sale list mailed to you!! (607-776-3478).

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Box 440 Winchester, Va. 22601

PUBLIC SALE
OF FARM MACHINERY AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS
SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 1975

10:00 A.M.

Location — On the Windcrest Road, Marlboro, New Jersey. From PA come over PA Turnpike Bridge, get off at Exit 7 at New Jersey Turnpike go south on Rt 206 to Rt. 537, follow 537 all the way to Freehold, NJ. Pickup Rt. 79 and follow sale arrows from there.

Household Goods

Living room, dining room and bedroom suits, library tables, coffee tables, rugs, bookcases, black and white TV, breakfront, mirrors, rockers, air conditioners, cook stove and other items too numerous to mention.

Farm Machinery

To start approx. at 11:00 A.M.

Tractors — 1963 504 Int., 1961 340 Int., 640 Ford with loader, Farmall Super M, Farmall M tractor with loader, Case model DC tractor, Ferguson No. 40 with loader and backhoe.

Trucks — 1969 Chev. pickup utility body, 1944 Dodge flat body, 1942 Diamond T flat body.

Other Equipment — N.H. No. 78 baler, motor driven with bale kicker; A.C. 4 bar rake, Int. 4 bar rake, Case 3-B Eagle hitch plow, stalk beater, loader for Model 40 J.D., 5 ft. 3 pt. hitch rotary mower, 10 ft. Easy-Flo spreader, 3 pt. hitch York rig, John Beam 350 gal. PTO sprayer.

Labor Camp Equip. — Air compressor, Ford 3 pt. hitch corn planter, V type snow plow, Ace space heater, electric motors, 4 barrels of molasses, used lumber and scrap pile and other items too numerous to mention.

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PUBLIC SALE
SATURDAY, APRIL 19, 1975

AT 10:00

Located at Winterstown, 5 miles South of Red Lion on Rt. 24, York County, PA.

Silos & Barns: 2-26' x 70' & 20' x 50' Ficke silos. 40' x 84' barn, 75' x 100' slatted floor barn.

Feed: 6,000 Bu. of corn (shelled & treated), 1,000 tons of ensilage.

Tractors: IH. 1066 Hydro, cab, radio & heater (400 hrs.) 550 & 1,000 Pto. IH. B tractor, just overhauled. JD. 60 3 point hook up. Coleman 4 wheel drive tractor w-12' 8" V snow plow & winch, weighs 17 tons.

Plows: A.C. 5 bottom (new bottoms). IH. 2 point hook up 4 bottom 14". 3 point 3 bottom 14". Oliver 2 bottom Raydex hyd. lift 14".

Equip.: N. Idea 2100 liquid manure spreader w-vacuum pump. Gehl CB 600 chopper 1,000 Pto. 2 row 30" corn head & grass head. 4 Gehl 3 axle Forage wagons. JD. 4 row no till corn planter. JD. 9' disc harrow. JD. disc harrow. 1, 2 & 3 section harrows. JD. 2 row potato digger level bed No. 30. A.C. flail chopper. IH. 47 baler. JD. cornhead 210 for a 45 combine. JD. 45 loader. IH. 2001 manure loader will fit IH. 424 or 560. Ford 3 point tractor scoop also roll over scoop. 2 seed cleaners. IH. 56 9" blower. 15 disc drill & 15 hoe drill Van Brunt. 2 row mechanical transplanter. 3 cultipackers. Potato splitter. Potato grader & picking table. 60 hp. 3 phase generator by Pto. also numerous amounts of small equip. and horse drawn equip.

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Sale ordered by: **Carroll E. Anderson,** Owner

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FRIDAY, APRIL 4

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Case Tractors Models 411, DC, SC, CC; Ford Ferguson Tractor & Manure Loader; tractor chains; rotary cutter; NH baler 269; Case combine SP9; Case plow Model M; Case pull type plow; Case lime drill; 24 disc harrow on rubber w-hydr. cylinder; Oliver drill 14 disc; Oliver mower; NH hay crusher; Oliver 471 manure spreader PTO; dump rake; hay tedder; bale elevator; 12 ft. cultipacker; Century sprayer; Wood Bros. sgl. corn picker; New Idea side rake; 5 flat bed wagons w-side boards & uprights; spring tooth harrow; sgl. hand cultivator; horseplow; 2 wheel trailer w-bed; circle-saw w-front end mount for Case tractor; feed carts; 2 hole corn sheller; Letz plate mill; cylinder corn sheller; belts; fanning mill; Esco 300 gal. bulk tank w-compressor - good cond.; Surge vacuum pump; 3 Surge milkers; ss buckets w-lids; strainers; ss wash tub; 85 lb. milk cans; Hydrasteel permaglass water heater.

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Sale to start at 10:30 a.m. when conditions will be made known by:

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PFA Tells Newsmen Of Farmers' Plight

"Farmers are the first to suffer from inflation," a farm leader told a news conference in Pittsburg last Friday. "A new or additional wave of inflation will make it virtually impossible for many farmers to continue their farming operations."

Charles R. Ord, administrative secretary of the Pennsylvania Farmers' Association (PFA), made this prediction based on the increased costs farmers are forced to pay for production items they use in growing food and fiber.

PFA is a general farm organization with more than 19,000 family members and has 52 county associations in the Commonwealth. It is also affiliated with the American Farm Bureau Federation.

"Most farm costs are due and payable three to six months before the farmer receives payment for his products," Ord said.

"If loans are available to finanace this non-income period, currect interest rates are prohibitive considering the level of price the consumers and politicans are willing to allow the farmer to receive.

"Policies that promulgate uncontrolled inflation can and will eventually destory the value of our dollar," the farm leads said.

According to Ord, inflation has had many adverse effects on the next incomes of farmers:

- Purchasing new equipment at inflated prices.
- Paying the progressive federal income tax.
- Increasing values of land have made it difficult for heirs to keep the farm going because of outdated federal estate and gist taxes.
- Paying federal income tax on capital gains when farmers sell land, farm machinery and breeding livestock, when in many cases there may be no increase in real wealth, but the tax must be paid because of inflated prices.
- Threatening government price controls on farm products at either the raw or processed form creates chaos in the planning for farmers, or disaster in the market place when price and wage controls are imposed.

Earlier in his statement Ord pointed out that food was not the leader as far as price increases were concerned in 1974. According to the Joint Economic Committee of Congress, the cost of government (taxes) jumped 25 percent in 1974; transportation, 14.3 percent; housing, 13.5 percent and food increased 11.9 percent.

"I might add that 11.9 percent is one-tenth of one percent less than the overall inflation rate of 12 percent for 1974," Ord said.

Turning his attention to imports and exports of farm products, Ord said, "Trade is a two-way street. The American farmers know and understand this principle. Farmers also know that their government, urged on by the consumerism drive for cheap food, is allowing food stuffs to be imported that would never pass quality and sanitary inspection regulations imposed on similar products produced in the United States.

"Furthermore, many European countries subsidize agriculture to give their farmers an unfair price edge in the U.S. market.

"Our farmers are forced to pay higher prices for the production items because of government-fed inflation, and then the government hits them over the head with inferior and unhealthy subsidized dairy imports.

"There are regulations on the books that deal fairly with this situation, but presently the regulatory agencies don't seem to have the stomach to enforce the laws.

"We have reemphasized our call for countervailing duties on subsidized, imported dairy products, or any other agricultural commodity which is given an unfair competitive edge in our markets by government subsidies."

The farm leader blasted the Ford Administration and members of Congress who have called for "unlimited food production." Making such a statement was described as having "the same disgraceful odor to it as the statement by some U.S. observers at the world food conference in Rome when they said the U.S. should commit one billion dollars of food stuffs to the world relief program. Both have the odor of pure politics. Neither call is designed to help America out of its inflationary problem, lighten the load on the taxpayer, or help the American farmer find a market for his products.

"The only thing worny with the so-called 'full production' approach is that it insures the ultimate destruction of the American agricultural industry - an industry that has proven to be the most productive in the history of mankind," Ord stated.

Three dairymen appeared at the news conference and explained that they were suffering from low milk prices and high input costs.

Rex Smith, a dairyman from Washington County, said that because of high cost his "plans for expansion of the dairy operation have been delayed now for almost a full year. As with many other dairymen, our faith in the dairy industry at the present time is gradually weakening under these soaring costs."

Smith told the newsmen that fertilizer costs have increased 18 percent in one year (1973-74); liquid nitrogen, 44 percent; baler twine, 103 percent; new equipment, 22 to 25 percent; and equipment replacements parts, 32 to 37 percent

Elder Vogal, a Beaver County dairyman, echoed some of the same type of skyrocketing costs figures, but pointed out that in January, 1974, he received $8.69 per hundredweight for his milk, but the price dropped to $8.02 per hundredweight in January, 1975.

"My sons want to be farmers, but with the prices like they are today, there is no way a young man can get started. At present, we are trying to keep one of our sons at home, but there isn't much income for him. There is very little to offer by way of incentive to keep young people on our farms.

"If some relief isn't available in the very near future," Vogel said, "many farmers, like myself, who are already deep in debt, are going to be faced with the question 'Is it worth struggling any longer?' Once you give up the land, whether to idleness or whatever, it's a long road back."

Edwin Nehrig, an Indiana County dairyman, stated that production costs in the preceding 12 to 14 months have "spiraled upward at an alarming rate on his farm.

"I agree with Rex and Elder," he said. "It's getting to the place where it's not worth the time and effort to produce milk."

Recipients of special awards during the Cedar Crest FFA Banquet held on March 20 included: (sitting from left) Glenn Bollinger - Chapter Star Agribusinessman; John Krall - Chapter Star Green Hand (standing from left) Richard Krall - Dekalb Award for Seniors and Dennis Brubaker - Chapter Star Farmer Award.

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Angus Pedigrees Revised

Angus performance pedigrees, one of the most complete performance record reports offered on Angus cattle, soon will have a new look reports Fred C. Francis, director of breed improvement for the American Angus Association. The pedigrees now will include only weight ratios and the number of contemporaries in the group. The only exception to this will be birth weights. These will be included for all animals on the pedigree provided they have been reported.

This decision follows action at the recent board of directors of the American Angus Association in St. Joseph, Missouri, where the recommendation was approved in the breed improvement committee and later in the full board meeting. The decision brought about a change from the previously issued performance pedigrees in which both adjusted weaning and yearling weights and weight ratios plus the number of contemporaries were reported. The pedigrees are a significant benefit available from the Association's comprehensive Angus Herd Improvement Records (A.H.I.R.) program. As the number of performance records of registered Angus increases the meaning and value of performance pedigrees will have added significance. All members of the American Angus Association using A.H.I.R. are being urged to make their own herd's records available for use in performance pedigrees.

Supporting the use of weight ratios alone were three main arguments, Francis pointed out.

1. A performance pedigree is designed to include the weaning and yearling results on the individual, his parents, and grandparents, and all progeny involved. Therefore, numerous years and management groups are involved and it was the general feeling of the board members that weights cannot be fairly compared over such a broad period of time and possible widespread geographic area. In addition, it was pointed out that if creep feeding was used in some herds, and not in others, any comparisons could be misleading.

2. Weight ratios are not obtained from a group of calves unless adjusted weights are available. The weight ratio then can be a very good indicator of the performance of the animal in question if the number of contemporaries is also listed. All cattlemen need to become aware of the importance of the number of contemporaries to determine the importance of the ratio. Reaslitic and meaningful weight ratios only come about when the number of contemporaries in the group is 10 head or more. Ratios from groups of less than 10 head limit the usefulness of comparing results.

3. A majority of members of the board believe that Angus breeders enrolled in A.H.I.R. will be more receptive to the use of their "within herd" A.H.I.R. information if ratios only are listed on performance pedigrees. At the present time, performance pedigrees are issued only on a "with herd" basis and cannot include any A.H.I.R. records from other Angus herds.

Plans are now underway to revise the performance pedigree and inform breeders of the change, Francis added, after which time all Angus breeders, past or present, who have participated in A.H.I.R. will be encouraged to release all information collected for industry-wide use of A.H.I.R. records on performance pedigrees. The importance of the pedigree evolves around the storehouse of production records in the Angus breed. When all this becomes available to the beef cattle business the results will have the capability of adding strength to all cow herds.

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600 HEAD

SAT., APRIL 5, 1975

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SALE No. 1 - 1:00 P.M.

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TRACTORS,

FULL LINE OF ORCHARD & FARM EQUIPMENT,

IRRIGATION SYSTEM, TOOLS ETC.

FRIDAY, APRIL 11, 1975

at 9:00 A.M.

The undersigned, having sold our farm, will offer the following at Public Sale located 6 Miles South of Mt Holly Springs, turning East off Route No 34 at Goodyear Church 2 Miles thence North one-tenth mile to sale or Midway between Mt Holly and York Springs turning West off Route No. 94 at the Goodyear Road 2 Miles to Sale. |WATCH FOR SALE SIGNS|

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ANTIQUES: FARM BELL; Anvil; 4 85 lb Milk Cans; Oak Shelf Clock; Hames; Harness, Single Trees;

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ANNUAL

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At our farm at "The Buck," 12 miles South of Lancaster off Route 272

TUESDAY, APRIL 1, 1975

9:30 A.M.

John Deere 60 tractor, IHC 300 w-heavy duty loader, IHC 350 w-heavy duty loader, John Deere 520 w-power steering, John Deere 825 - 3 bottom roll over plow, John Deere F130 - 3 bottom 16 in. flat bottom plow, John Deere 810 A - 3 bottom 14 in. plow, John Deere A with cultivators, John Deere 40, WD Allis Chalmers with 3-B plow, John Deere 4 bottom full mount 16 in. plow with Kesten rake, 3 pt. spring harrow, 11 ft. Brillion Cultipacker 2-18 in. wheels, J.D. No. 34 Harvester with 1 row head, New Holland 611 chopper w-1 row head, A.C. Chopper W-1 & 2 row head and direct cut, J.D. Model 12 - 2 row chopper, N.H. 616 - 1 row chopper.

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New Idea Horn hi-lift manure loader, 32 ft upright mow conveyor, roll of paige wire, 2 large cast iron watering troughs, large air compressor, 50 ft. endless belt, 12 milk cans, 5 water cans, 2 hp. Briggs & Stratton motor, new bolts, double SS tubs, cow trainers, tobacco shears & spears, 2 SS strainers, tools & forks, New Idea No. 207 manure spreader, Honda 90 cc, No. 75 DeLaval pump w-2 h.p. motor, 2 h.p. electric motor, Allis Chalmers 3-B plow, Disk, Cultipacker, Rubber tired wagon with bed loaded with Goodies, John Deere KBA Disk Harrow, 2 hole Hog Feeder, Ford 4-row corn planter with fert. attch. and 3 pt. hitch, N.H. 275 Baler with thrower, real sharp, 16 ft. Brillion Field Cultivator with wings.

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2 radial arm saws, Craftsman table saw, new left-handed bath tub, Cedar wardrobe - desk combination, dishwasher, chest of drawers, 1 arm chair, 9 chairs, 14 window screens, 2 window fans, White sewing machine, 2 dressers w-mirrors, 2 tricycles, bicycle, sofa bed, humidifier, student desk.

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11:00 A.M.

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Oliver 4 bottom 560 semi mounted plow with Cushion Coulters 14 in., Oliver 241 10 ft. disc transport, 12 ft. cultipacker; New Idea #290 haybine 9 ft.; New Idea Cut-Conditioner 7 ft., New Holland 271 baler with thrower; John Deere crimper; John Deere hay rake; 3 bale wagons; Little Giant 38 ft elevator; New Holland 24 ft skeleton bale conveyor, Wind row turner

Fox custom #90 chopper with 1 row corn head & pickup, elec knife sharpener (2 yrs.)

4 New Holland #330 manure spreaders, 2 with forage sides and 1 with bulk feeder, Hawk Bilt spreader 180 bu , John Deere 15A flail chopper, John Deere #1240 plateless corn planter; John Deere 13 disc grain drill, John Deere fertilizer spreader, New Idea 305 mounted corn picker 12 roll husking bed; 2 bin wagons, 5 wire round corncribs, Century field sprayer, 2 wheel cattle trailer; 6 ton bulk feed bin

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USDA Sees Continuing High Poultry Feed Costs

Poultry and egg producers will continue to adjust to strong prices for feed in the first half of 1975. Feed ingredient prices have dropped from last year's peaks but are near year-earlier levels except prices of wheat and soybeans which are down sharply. Prices of feed will remain strong at least until 1975 crops are harvested, according to the USDA's latest poultry and egg situation report.

Broiler and turkey meat will continue to compete with larger beef supplies this winter and spring. But pork supplies will be down and prices rising. Beef prices probably reached their low for the year in early 1975 and will increase in coming months as supplies of other meats decline.

Broiler and egg output will increase seasonally into spring but will remain well under a year earlier. Turkey output during the seasonally light production months of the first half of 1975 will also be down substantially. Broiler and turkey prices are expected to rise while egg prices likely will decline seasonally in the spring.

In the second half of 1975 production of poultry and eggs will gain relative to year-earlier levels. However, the extent of this rise will depend on the financial condition of producers and prospects for larger 1975 corn and soybean crops.

Egg production in 1974 totaled 183 million cases, 1 percent below 1973 and the smallest since 1965. The drop in production was due to reduced layer numbers. The laying flock averaged about 2.5 percent below 1973 levels and the lowest since 1938. Egg production continues lower in 1975 as layer numbers decline further below year-earlier levels. earlier levels.

January's egg output trailed January 1974 by 3 percent as a result of 4 percent fewer layers. However, eggs per layer continued higher. Production will increase seasonally in the spring but likely will average further below 1974 levels. Pullets for flock replacements will fall well below the previous year and the rate of lay likely will ease.

Nearly 17 percent fewer egg-type chicks were hatched during August-January for flock replacements through midyear. In addition, eggs in incubators on February 1 were down 7 percent. This indicates that the laying flock will stay well below year-earlier levels through most of 1975.

Egg prices have dropped more than expected in early 1975. Much of the decline has resulted from sluggish demand for egg products. High prices for sugar and cooking oils have substantially reduced baking which in turn has reduced the demand for eggs. Prices likely will rebound prior to Easter (March 30) but decline seasonally in the spring. However, the spring price decline is not expected to be as large as in 1974.

Broiler meat output fell sharply last fall because of the cutback in broiler chick placements in the summer when production costs for most producers rose above market prices for broilers Output in federally inspected plants during October-December dropped to 8 percent below the same months of 1973.

Broiler chick placements during November were running 8-13 percent below the previous year. However, as feed prices eased, placements gained in December and January. Thus, marketings during January-March will be down around 8 percent.

Output will increase seasonally in the spring but with prices hovering near the breakeven point and the uncertainty about future feed costs, producers are likely to hold production well below 1974 levels. Producers likely will expand output gradually later this year if feed prices stabilize or ease further and favorable prospects for 1975 crops develop. Output may reach or exceed year-earlier levels in the closing months of 1975.

Broiler prices did not show their usual seasonal decline last fall and have continued relatively strong in early 1975. Broiler prices have been strengthened in recent months by lower production of broilers, turkeys, and pork. But sharply higher beef production and eroding consumer purchasing power have limited price gains.

With lower output of meats, other than beef and veal, broiler prices should continue strong with some further rise in the spring and summer. Although beef supplies are expected to continue larger than a year earlier, prices of cattle may strengthen in coming months and average above 1974 levels, adding buoyancy to broiler prices.

Turkey meat production fell sharply in late 1974 after running substantially above year-earlier levels through the first 9 months of the year. For all of 1974, turkey meat output in federally inspected plants was nearly 3 percent greater than in 1973

Turkey stocks increased sharply during the first 3 quarters of 1974 and reached record levels on October 1. However, reduced production and strong consumer demand in the last quarter of 1974 reduced yearend stocks to slightly below a year earlier.

Turkey production during the seasonally light first half of 1975 will be well below 1974. September-January poult production, which will provide most of the production during this period, was 15 percent below a year earlier. Second half output will increase seasonally and may match or exceed 1974 levels in the fall.

Turkey prices have weakened in early 1975 as consumer demand lags Turkey prices likely will stabilize near current levels, then strengthen in the spring and summer as supplies of turkey remain below a year ago. Spring and summer turkey prices probably will average well above last year.

Mt. Joy Photography 4-H Club

The Mount Joy 4-H Photography Club will organize on Thursday evening, April 3 at 7:30 p.m. at Glossbrenner United Methodist Church at 713 Church Street, Mounty Joy The leaders are Jay Fisher and Daniel Hoy. Requirements and assignments for the projects will be discussed at the meeting. For further information on the Club contact Mrs. John H. Nissley at 653-4149.

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Location — Lebanon Area Fairgrounds, Lebanon, PA, 1½ miles South of Lebanon, intersection of Cornwall and Evergreen Road

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PUBLIC SALE

SAT., APRIL 5, 1975

9:30 A.M.

Located 4 mi. South East of Carlisle, ½ mi. South of Rt 74, ¾ mi North of Allenberry.

FEEDER CATTLE

25 head of beef type steers consisting of Hereford Black White Faces & Charolais, weighing from 400 to 700 lbs. These steers have been on this farm since calves.

MACHINERY

4 Allis-Chalmers tractors, 1 D17 Diesel, 1 WD 45, 2 WC, AC cultivators, AC 3 bottom tripback plow, AC combine with bin, AC combine with picker head and bin, 2 AC mowers, 1 trail type, 1 side mounted, AC side rake, AC baler 303 with thrower, AC mounted corn picker 150, AC mounted corn picker 33 for repairs, 1 row picker (Wood Bros.), AC forage harvester, AC blower, Gehl flail chopper, rotary hoe, corn sheller power takeoff with cob drag, Papec Hammer Mill, 2 disc harrows, 1 Dumram 28 disc, 1 Mc 40 disc, steel land roller, cultipacker, Smoker elevator 32', short elevator, Superior grain drill, 16 disc, JD 4-row corn planter, NH manure spreader 130 bu., hay wagon with high sides, self unloading wagon, home made grain wagon, JD Auger unloading grain trailer, buck rake, power takeoff grass seeder, combine grain bin, single cultivator, hog troughs, wooden hog feeders, 2 sets of tractor wheel weights, 2 electric brooders, electric incubator, wooden wheel barrow, sledge, chains, shovels, forks and hoes, grind stone, table saw, platform scales, forge, VF 4 Wisconsin motor, 2 wheeled cart also sulky, 2 horse collars, some old harness parts, buggy shafts, 2 cars — 1 '58 Chevy Sta. Wagon, 1 '65 Chevy Impala. Not inspected. Misc. items and lots of iron. 1 bale of baler twine. Lots of old barn door and gate hinges up to 5 ft. long. 275 gal. fuel oil tank.

BUTCHER TOOLS

1 cooker and 2 iron kettles, 2 sets of butcher scales, scalding trough, scrapers, stirrers, ladles, hooks and knives, old milk cans.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

2 refrigerators, breakfast set with 8 chairs, 3 piece living room suite, lights, stands, and chairs, plank bottom chairs, library table, sewing machine, RCA TV 24", electric clocks, gas space heater, 3 stoves - 2 kerosene, 1 coal heatrola, beds, mattresses, and springs, dressers and chest of drawers, old clothes trunks, clothes dryer, utility cabinets, 20 qt. pressure cooker, dishes, skillets, pots, pans, jars and glasses, curtains, sheets and blankets, also quilts and comforts, Christmas decorations.

ORDER OF SALE: Household goods, small items on wagon, machinery, cattle. Lunch by the Helping Hand Class of Trindle Springs Church.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

of Farm Machinery

SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 1975

AT 12:00 NOON

Location: Eight [8] miles East of Honey Brook; ½ mile West of Guthriesville, on Route #322, Chester County, PA

Int. '560' gas tractor w-fast hitch; J.D. '494' 4-r. corn planter; N.H. '717' PTO harvester w-1-row corn head; N.H. hopper-blower, PTO; N.H. '352' mixer-grinder, PTO; N.H. forage wagon; N.H. '271' pickup baler, PTO; N.H. roto-bar rake; N.H. 24' elevator w-motor; Int. '100' mower w-fast hitch; J.D. hay crimper; Century 6-row boon trailer type sprayer; J.D. 10' single cultipacker; Oliver '241' 9' 3" transport disc harrow; Int. '540' 4-b., 16" fast hitch plow; Int. 13-disc drill, on steel; Oliver '64' 13-disc grain drill; N.H. 100 bus. PTO manure spreader; New Idea 2-row mtd. corn picker fits '460' or '560'; Int. 2-row cultivators; 3 wagons w-grain bodies; Int. flat-bed rubber-tired wagon; hopper grain blower; N.H. corn drag; tractor mtd. wood saw; 2 hay racks on skids; tractor pusher; 6-hole pig feeder; N.H. table blower; Case stalk shredder; 60' endless belt and numerous articles not listed.

By the order of:

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PUBLIC SALE

FARM MACHINERY & MISC. ITEMS

SATURDAY, APRIL 5

STARTING AT 10:30 AM

Located along Kagey Road between Trappe and Graterford, Perkiomen Twp , Montg Co. From Trappe [Route 422] go North on 7th Ave to Kagey Road, first farm on left

Farmall "M" Tractor. Case 320 crawler with front end loader. Ford 8N with Sauder loader. Case 400 with cultivator. 1966 Int. 1890 truck with 10-ton dump grain body 14-ft. N.H. 461 haybine. N.H. 717 Forage Harvester N.H. 258 rake. N.H. 222 super blower N.H. stem crusher. J.D. 24T baler with chucker. J.D. 34 spreader like new. J.D. 4-bottom pull type trip plow. J.D. 3-bottom pull type plow. J.D. flail chopper. 2 Grove chuck wagons. 3 flat wagons with hay racks. Smoker elevator 22' with motor. Combination cultipacker harrow. Cultipacker. Woods rotary mower. 9-ft. Sunmaster rotary mower. 7-ft. sickle bar. Post hole digger. Ranstan elevator. 3 section auger. Clay mechanical gear box. 3 hp motor - 1750 rpm. Tractor tires. Truck tires & many misc. items. All farm machinery in fine condition. Small items will be sold first.

Conditions by:

PERKIOMEN FARMS

Nelson C. Weidenbaugh
Auctioneer - 215-948-7619

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SAT. MARCH 29 - 11:30 A.M. Public Auction of 180 Acre Farm, Farm Equipment and Tools located in Halifax Township, Dauphin County, Penna., 3 miles Northeast of Halifax, 5 miles Southeast of Millersburg, turn East off Route 147 at Tourist Park, one mile North of Halifax; Watch for Sale sign along the Tourist Park to Fisherville Road. Sale by Robert J. Portzline and Lee C. Rummel, Owners; George N. Deiber, and Ernest Enders, Auctioneers.

SAT. MARCH 29 - 12:00 P.M. Public Sale of Valuable Farm Equipment located at Route 2, Hummelstown, Penna., East Hanover Township. Turn north at the square in Hershey off Route 422 and proceed North 3 miles to Level Drive and turn right to first farm. Level Drive is off Sand Beach Road. Turn south off Route 22 at Fawbers Restaurant onto Sandbeach Road and proceed to Level Drive. Conditions by Edgar and Fannie Wagner; Harry H. Bachman, Auctioneer.

SAT. MARCH 29 - 11:30 A.M. Public Sale of Valuable Farm Machinery located at RD9, York, Penna. In Windsor Twp. at Holtz on Millers Mill Road. Sale by Kenneth Seiple; Jacob A. Gilbert, Auctioneer.

SAT. MARCH 29 - 1 p.m. Short Notice Public Sale of Valuable 70 Acre Horse or Dairy Farm located in Lebanon County, Bethel Twp. on Rt. 343 near village of Fredericksburg, 25 miles East of Harrisburg, ¾ mile North of Harry Stover Legion off Rt. 22 and 78. Sale by Ed Eby, owner; Ruben Houser and Harvey Weik, Auctioneers.

SAT. MARCH 29 - 10 A.M. Consignment Sale by Keystone Fire Co., Rehrersburg, Pa. in the Village of Rehrersburg, Berks County, Pa. Sale of Household Goods, Tools and Antiques. Conditions by the Sale Committee; John Breidegam, David Risser and Nelson Blatt, Auctioneers.

SAT. MARCH 29 - 12 Noon Public Sale of Farm Equipment and Dairy Equipment located 8 miles South East of Reading, 5 miles Southwest of Fleetwood, 2 miles west of Rt. 662, 10 miles Northwest of Boyertown opposite Eastern Lime Quarry, along Mine Lane Road, Berks County, Pa. Sale by Paul R. Renninger; Abe Diffenbach and Abe Diffenbach, Jr., Auctioneers.

SAT. MARCH 29 - 10 A.M. Public Sale of Real Estate, Household Goods and Antiques located at 177 Church Ave., Ephrata, Pa. Terms by Mrs. Ella Wentling; Bill

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Sheep Producers Aiming At Industry Turn-Around

At the 21st annual meeting of delegates in Denver, Colo., from throughout the United States, the American Sheep Producers Council (ASPC) in cooperation with other segments of the industry unanimously voted to make an industry-wide "Pledge for Progress".

Richard D. Biglin, ASPC Executive Director, said, "This meeting perhaps displayed more enthusiasm towards turning our industry around than ever before."

"The 'Pledge for Progress,' campaign, the theme for this year's assembly, is a program geared towards the grassroots level," added Biglin.

"This program will attempt to commit producers to specific advances in the industry ranging from increasing their use of new technology to increasing the sizes of their operations."

The ASPC annual meeting comes at a time in the sheep industry when numbers are at a critical level, Biglin said. There are approximately 14 5 million sheep in the United States today compared to 31.5 million in 1955.

Speaking before the delegate body, Howard Derrick, ASPC president, said, "Our single priority has been to develop a promotion program and staff that can do the job for the products you produce and for the industry. We can no longer entertain the dream that the promotion arm of your industry can go its own way without concern for other segments of the industry.

"We must unify our efforts, increase production, and provide a steady supply of top quality products to the consumers of America," continued Derrick.

Floyd Myers "Bud" Marsh, president of the National Wool Growers Association, said, "What we have wanted to happen is happening. The total sheep industry is well underway to becoming unified from coast to coast.

Still other optimistic expressions were made towards the industry's unification by Laird Noh, President of the National Lamb Feeders Association.

Highlighting the business session were the re-election of the present ASPC officers. Howard Derrick, of Eldorado, Texas, was renamed as president of ASPC and chairman of the board, while Bob Blackford of Wheatland, California, was re-elected vice president of the ASPC and Robert C. Thurman was also re-elected secretary-treasurer.

A budget was established for the 1975-76 fiscal year, which begins July 1. The new budget is slightly increased over the past year.

In addition, the annual "Make it Yourself With Wool" program is now under the direction of the Women's Auxiliary of the National Wool Growers Association. The new contest headquarters will be stationed in Roswell, New Mexico.

Another significant step was the expansion of the Sheep Industry Development Program, Incorporated. S.I.D P has been the education and communication branch of the sheep industry and figures to play an important part in turning around the present trend in the industry.

The next meeting of the delegate body of the ASPC is scheduled for October of this year.

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Most medical expenses are tax deductible only to the extent that they exceed 3 percent of adjusted gross income. But there is one exception: one half of medical insurance premiums up to $150 are fully deductible. This does not apply, though, to life or disability insurance or coverage providing income while you are sick or injured.

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If your 1974 income tax return filed by April 15 calls for a refund and you don't receive it, or an explanation, by June 1 contact your nearest IRS office. Delays in refunds are often the taxpayers's fault: people move without notifying IRS; make mistakes in listing Social Security numbers; or women get married and forget that their Social Security numbers no longer match their names in the IRS files.

FEEDER PIG SALE

SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 1975

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SATURDAY, APRIL 19

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FRIDAY, APRIL 4, 1975

10 A.M.

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2 Grove self unloading 3 beater forage wagons, rear and front unloads, alum. roofs; I.H. 51 self unloading forage wagon; 2 N.H. 8 ton wide track wagons, false end gates, hay and grain sides; I.H. 12' lime spreader; I.H. 5' flail chopper; Mayrath 32' elev.; Mayrath 10' drag; 16' grain elevator; I.H. 33A loader.

6' blade for manure loader; I.H. 2 pt. 8' angle blade; I.H. 300 3 pt. 8' angle blade; Bear Cat 14" & 12" hammermills; Int. 1944 U tag 12' flatbed truck; 8' dump trailer; Seed cleaner; elec. cyclone seeder, (new); 2 sets 14.9-38" tractor chains; Sears 50,000 BTU portable kerosene heater; front end weights for 806; other weights.

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SAT. MARCH 29 - Public Sale of Personal Property, Farm Machinery and Real Estate of the J. Kohberger Estate (known as the "Buffalo Inn") located 3 miles West of Lock Haven on Route 220.. Personal Property 9 A.M., Machinery 11 A.M., Real Estate 1 P.M. Ray Carper and Son, Auctioneers.

SAT. MARCH 29 - 10 A.M. Public Sale of Farm Equipment located approximately 15 miles Northwest of Reading in the Village of New Schaefferstown, near the Tulpehocken High School, Jefferson Twp., Berks County. Conditions by Albert Behney; Paul E. Bixler and Gerald G. Kramer, Auctioneers.

SAT. MARCH 29 - Public Sale of Real Estate, Household Goods and Antiques located at the corner of Earl Street, New Holland, Pa. Sale by Elizabeth S. Kling; Carl Diller, Auctioneer.

SAT. MARCH 29 - 12:30 Sebring Bros. Farm Auction on "Old Bath Road", at Wayne, 10 mi. from Bath, N. Y. (Follow arrows off Rte. 54 N. or Bath). Sale managed by Rumsey Sales, Bath, N. Y.

SAT. MARCH 29 - 1 P.M. Cow Sale of 60 Head Cattle (The entire dairy of Mr. Mat Raski, Benton, Pa.) to be sold at my Farm located 2 Miles South of Troy, Pa., Bradford Co. on Route 14. Sale by Robert Slingerland and Robert Shaylor, Owners; Geo. Scott, Auctioneer.

SAT. MARCH 29 - 10 A.M. Public Sale of Farm Machinery, Household Goods, Antiques located approx. 15 miles South of Lancaster off 272 East along Rawlingsville Ave. or off 222 at New Providence, West between New Providence and Truce or 1 mile North of Buck off 272. Sale by John H. Rush and Frances M. Rush; Lloyd H Kreider, Auctioneer

SAT MARCH 29 - 10 A.M. Real Estate at 2 P.M. Public Sale of Farm Real Estate, Farm Equipment and Household Furnishings situated in Jackson Twp., Lebanon Co., Pa. along the road leading from Myerstown to Elco High School, ½ mile north of Elco School. Sale for the John L. Weaver Estate, Conditions by John E. Weaver, Executor; Earl S. Buffenmeyer, Auctioneer.

SAT. MARCH 29 - 11 A.M. Benefit Auction 8th Annual Sale sponsored by Church of Brethren Youth Fellowship Atlantic North East District to be held at Root's Country Market and Auction located 2 miles South of Manheim, Pa. off Route 72. Jay M. Witman, Auctioneer.

SAT. MARCH 29 - 10:30 A.M. Public Sale of Valuable Farm Machinery, 40 Beef Cattle, Produce, Etc. on the farm midway along Muncy-Montoursville U.S. 220 Highway at Twin Hills, behind Super Shoe Store. Sale by Daniel and Donna Carey, owners; Max Fraley and Son Auctioneers.

SAT. MARCH 29 - Public Sale of Farm Equipment and Some Household Goods located between Manheim and Mt. Joy, off the Mt. Joy Road onto Erisman's Road or Fairview Road; 1½ miles west of Sporting Hill. Sale by Harvey W. Nissley; Rufus Geib and Raymond Miller, Auctioneers.

SAT. MARCH 29 - 10 a.m. Auction Sale of Farm Equipment for the Estate of the Late Newton B. Shimp (personal Property) at the Farm on Roadstown-Marlboro Road, Shiloh, N.J. (Just off Route 49, look for Auction Signs at Bank corner) By order of Kathryn Shimp, Admx. Sickler & Scott, Auctioneers.

SAT. MARCH 29 - 10 A.M. Public Auction of 352 Head Angus Cattle located 5½ miles South East of Berryville, Va. Turn south off of Route 7 onto Route 621 at Millers Fruit Stand. Follow road to Watermelon Park Farm. Sale by John U. Miller; W D. Orndorff, Auctioneer

SAT MARCH 29 - Public Auction of Tractors, Farm Machinery, Cattle, Truck and Household Furnishing located 3 miles east of Route No. 100 off Boot Road, at the Boot Road exit of New Route No. 202; 6 miles northeast of West Chester, Chester Co., Pa. Sale for the Estate of LeRoy Hicks, Dec'd, by the order of Southeast National Bank; Sale conducted by Whitford Sales Company, L. Robert Frame, Auctioneer.

SAT. MARCH 29 - 10 A.M. Public Sale of Household Goods and Antiques at Ted Moths' Residence, Route 120, 1½ miles east of Sinnemahoning, 22 miles from Emporium, 50 miles from Lock Haven. Sale by Mr. & Mrs. Ted Moths, owners Si Pepperman, Auctioneer.

MON. MARCH 31 - 11 a.m. Public Sale of Dairy Cattle and Farm Equipment located on the premises in the village of Bordnerstown, Lebanon County between Indiantown Gap and Lickdale. Turn south at Speck's bar in the town of Bordnerstown to the first farm. Conditions by Paul Hollinger; Harry H. Bachman, Auctioneer.

TUES. APRIL 1 - 10 A.M. Annual Commission Sale of Farm Equipment and Antiques to be held at the J. Everett Kreider Farm, The Buck, RD1, Quarryville, Penna. Call 717-284-4517 to consign articles.

TUES. APRIL 1 - 1 P.M. Special Graded Feeder Pig Sale at the Lancaster Stockyards, Inc., Lancaster, Penna.

TUES. APRIL 1 - 6 P.M. Public Auction of Furniture, Glassware, Appliances, etc. at Farmersville Auction located at Farmersville, 3 miles East of Brownstown, Lancaster Co. Sale by John J. Rutt; Richard Murray, Auctioneer.

TUES. APRIL 1 - 10 A.M. Annual Commission Sale of Farm Equipment and Antiques to be held at the J. Everett Kreider Farm, The Buck, R1, Quarryville, Penna. Call 717-786-1545 to consign articles.

WED. APRIL 2 - 9:30 A.M. Consignment Sale by David H. Good, located ½ mile North of Route 23 on North Maple Ave. in Leola, Pa., Lancaster County. F. Snyder, R. Martin, C. H. Wolgemuth and C. Diller, Auctioneers.

THURS. APRIL 3 - 2 P.M. Public Sale of 25 Acre Farm located along the Elizabethtown Road, 7 miles Northwest of Manheim, 7 miles Southeast of Elizabethtown, 1 mile West of Mastersonville, near Chiques Church of the Brethren, Lancaster Co., Pa. Sale by Lee H. and Mary R. Hess; Rufus Geib, Auctioneer.

THURS. APRIL 3 - 7 P.M State Graded Yearling Sale, 1200 Head, to be held at the Fauquier Livestock Exchange, Marshall, Va.

THURS. APRIL 3 - 5:30 P.M. Public Auction at the Hat and Gavel Auction Co. located one mile North of Lititz along Rt. 501. Wilbur H. Hosler, Auctioneer.

THURS. APRIL 3 - 12:30 P.M. Antietam Farm Dispersal for the Mrs Florence B. Lyon Estate located 2 miles south of Waynesboro, Pa., follow signs. Sale Managed by

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CONSIGNMENT SALE
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 1975
9:30 A.M.

Location: ½ mile North of Route 23 on North Maple Ave. in Leola, Lancaster Co., PA.

Tractors, Farm Machinery, Horse Drawn Implements, New Tools, Lumber, etc, etc We have buyers for hay and straw
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NEXT SALE WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16

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PUBLIC SALE
MODERN MACHINERY — FEEDER CATTLE
SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 1975
at 9:30 A.M.

Located in Mifflin Co., ¼ mile West of Rt 322 Burnham Exit, 1st Farm on the Ferguson Valley Rd -

CATTLE

40 head of home raised Feeders, several from Gro Bro's. Farm, consisting of Angus and Hereford cross, Charolais cross, Holstein cross and Holsteins weighing from 300 to 500 lbs.

A few rabbits for the boys -
A large pile of good corn silage

MISC. ITEMS -

Electrolux sweeper, 3 pc. bedroom suite, mirror, 2 hand wind record players, deep fryer, waffle grill, electric coffee pot, apple peeler, 2 old lanterns, large ironstone meat platter w-wheat pattern, a few other dishes, some Avon bottles, old jars, etc.

TOP FARM MACHINERY

N.I. No. 704 Uni System w-GMC 110 H.P V-6 engine, and the following attach., No. 717 Combine unit, No. 711 Grain Platform 11 ft., No. 737 Husking Unit, No. 738 4 Row Corn Head for shelling or picking: This outfit was new in 1974 and used ½ season, 2 M.F. No 180 Diesel Tractors, M.F. 12 H.P. Lawn Tractor w-42 in. mower used 1 yr., M.F. No. 82 4-16 in Trip Back Plows, New Gehl No. 610 self unloading wagon on heavy duty chassis, N.H. No. 1469 Self Propelled 9 ft. Haybine used 2 seasons, M.F. No. 124 Baler used 1 yr. w-hyd. controlled thrower, N.H. wide track and 2 M.F. Heavy Duty Wagons w-grain and hay racks, N.H. 36 ft. Elevator, M.F. 3 pt. rake, M.F. No. 160 Single Beater Spreader, M.F. No. 235 Loader w-hyd. Fork and 6 ft. Bucket, New. M.F. No. 144-4 row Cultivator 3 pt., N.I. No. 323 Corn Picker used 2 seasons, Case Forage Harvestor w-corn head, Papec No. 870 Portable Mixer-Gringer w-Haban Corn Sheller att. used 2 yrs., 2 McCurdy Grain Wagons on New M.F. 7 ton Chassis, I.H. No. 510 16 Disk Grain Dill w-grass seeder used 1 season, A.C. No-Till 4 Row Corn Planter with herbicide att. used 1 season, Tyler Heavy Duty Dual Wheel Fertilizer Spreader completely rebuilt w-new tub, Brillion 10 Ft. Seeder Cultipacker like new, Hanson Sprayer w-300 Gal. Fiberglass Tank and Small Gas Engine for filling, M.F. No. 52 Transport Disk like new, M.F. 12 Ft. Harrow, 10 ft. Land Drag, Ferguson 3 pt. cultivator, Gehl 14 in. Hammer Mill w-cob crusher, Potato Digger w-apron, Sears Cement Mixer on Wheels, 38 in. Tractor Chains, PTO Seed Sower, 5 Steel Kozy Komfort Calf Stalls, 2 Round 14 Hole Hog Feeders, Hog Shelter, 20 Bales Twine, 6 hyd. Cylinders, Alfalfa Seed, Surge Milker Unit, Old Barb Wire, A Few Misc. Farm Items

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SPECIAL SALE
FEEDER CATTLE and CALVES
FRIDAY, APRIL 11, 1975
At 1:30 P.M.

BLUE RIDGE LIVESTOCK SALES, INC.
Charles Town, W. Va.
Billy F. Owens, Mgr.

Phone: 304-725-5021

AUCTION
SATURDAY, APRIL 5
10 A.M.

DALE SHIELDS RESIDENCE, 1 mile west of JERSEY SHORE on Route 44 - Turn right at Pine Creek Exit Follow Auction Arrows!

Due to ill health the following must be disposed:

1200 Dave Brown Tractor, Ford 861 Diesel Tractor, AC WC Tractor, Ford 4-Bottom Plow, NH 65 Baler, IH Flail Chopper, New Ford 515 Mower, Sauder Loader, 3 pt. Blade, D.B. Rake, 2 Wagons with gravity boxes, Flat Bed Wagon, Case Elevator, Tubing Hog Elevator, IH 8' Disc, Ford Cultipacker, New Harrow 12 foot, IH 2-Bottom Plow, JD 13 Drill, JD Hammer Mill, Stanchions, Drinking Cups, 2 Tires and Rims 10x28, Used Tractor Tires, 3 pt. Crane, NI N-7 Picker, NH 331 PTO Spreader, Ford Pulley, Cement Mixer, 3 pt. Sprayer, 2 old Butcher Kettles, Spring Wagon, Sleigh Cutter, Platform Scales, Corn Sheller.

Silo Blower, Grindstone, 100 Potato Crates, Hog Hangers, Good Saddle, Mowing Scythe, Bars, Hammers & Tools, Grease Guns, Barrels, 1947 Ford (good condition with extra parts), Junk Equipment, Horse Collars, Door-N-Windows, Some Antiques, 1 Hereford Bull (1300 lbs.), 4 Hereford Bred Heifers, 5 Crossbred Beef Cattle, 1 Sow with 10 Pigs, 1 Bred Sow, and many more items too numerous to mention!

If you are looking for Good Used Machinery and Beef Type Cattle - Don't Miss this Sale!

TERMS - Cash or Good Check Day of Sale.
Lunch.

Owners:
Mr. & Mrs. Dale Shields

Auctioneer: Si Pepperman (814) 698-3431

Not responsible for accidents on premises. If you are interested in an auction - large or small - contact this number. Remember, we let YOU decide!

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Penna. Guernsey Breeders' Assoc., P O. Box 458, Camp Hill, Pa.

FRI. APRIL 4 - Pa Chester White Invitational Show and Sale to be held at the Lebanon Area Fairgrounds, Lebanon, Pa. 1½ miles South of Lebanon, intersection of Cornwall and Evergreen Road. Show 5 P.M., Sale 7:30 p.m. Sale sponsored by the Pennsylvania Chester White Association.

FRI. APRIL 4 - 10:30 A.M. Public Sale of Farm Equipment, Hay, Straw and grain to be held at Coble Farm, Route 441 at Middletown Area High School. Sale by Roy W. and Opal Coble; Dupes, Gerberich, Long, Auctioneers.

FRI. APRIL 4 - 1 p.m. Winchester - 1st Spring Feeder Calf & Yearling Sale to be held at the Farmers Livestock Exchange, Inc. located 1½ miles west of Winchester, Va on U S. Route 50

FRI APRIL 4 - 11 a m - Public Sale of Holstein Heifers and Farm Machinery located off Route 1 to Route 41 At Chatham go East 1 mile Also at intersection of 41 and 841 go East on East London Grove Road. Terms by Elmer Young, J. Everett Kreider and Carl Diller, Auctioneers

FRI APRIL 4 - 7:30 P.M. 1975 Feeder Cattle and Calf Sale at the South Branch Stockyards, Inc., Moorefield, West Virginia.

FRI APRIL 4 - 6 P.M. Public Sale at Gap Auction located off Route 41, Lancaster Ave. opposite Turkey Hill Minit Market, cross RR Bridge. Antiques sold at every auction. Sale by Ira Stoltzfus and Son, Auctioneers.

FRI. APRIL 4 - 10 A.M. Public Sale of Valuable Modern Farm Machinery on the farm located 3 miles N. of Benton along Pa. Rt. 487, Col. Co. Sale by Matthew and Norma Raski and Alfonso "Al" and Helen Raski, owners; Max Fraley and Son, Auctioneers.

SAT. APRIL 5 - 10 A.M Wakefield Lions Club 2nd Annual Community Auction to be held at Powl's Feed Mill along Rt 272, 17 miles South of Lancaster, 1 mile North of Wakefield, Pa To consign items call 786-2627 or 548-2803; J. Everett Kreider, Auctioneer

SAT. APRIL 5 - 11 A.M. Special Spring Consignment Sale of Equipment and Produce at the Victor Pirrung and Son Farm located 3½ miles east of Wayland, N.Y. on Livingston County Road No 37. (Off N.Y. Rt. No. 21-245). Trucks, tractors, implements and produce to be sold Consignments welcome by prior arrangement. James P Pirrung and Victor J. Pirrung, Auctioneers and Sale Managers. Wayland, New York. Gerald A. Pirrung, Clerk, Ulysses, Penna.

SAT APRIL 5 - 9 A.M Sharp Public Sale of Real Estate, Large Home with fireplace, Household Goods, Antiques, Collectibles and Steinway Baby Grand Piano located at Market Street, Bloomsburg, Pa., just off Rt. 80. Sale for the Estate of John and Anna Lyle. John Autotore and Ronald Funk, Auctioneers.

SAT. APRIL 5 - 9:30 A.M. Public Sale of Modern Machinery, Feeder Cattle located in Mifflin Co., ¼ mile west of Rt. 322 - Burnham Exit, 1st farm on the Ferguson Valley Rd. Sale by Wm. E. Sheaffer, RD1, Lewistown, Pa.; Mark Glick, Auctioneer.

SAT. APRIL 5 and 12 - Public Sale of Real Estate, Antiques, Household Goods and Garage Tools located 6 miles South of Strasburg West along Furnace Road in the Village of Georgetown off Rt. 896. Sale by Amos J. Caskey; Lloyd H. Kreider, Auctioneer.

SAT. APRIL 5 - 12:00 Noon Public Auction of Farm Machinery located 8 miles east of Honey Brook, ½ mile west of Guthriesville, on Route No. 322, Chester County, Pa. Sale by order of Frank Watters; Sale conducted by Whitford Sales Company, L. Robert Frame, Auctioneer.

SAT. APRIL 5 - 10 a.m. Public Sale of Farm Implements, Household Goods and Some Antiques located along Bonview Drive, Denver, Pa., Lancaster Co., Pa. (near Swimming Pool). Terms by Doro Stuber, executrix of the John Stuber Estate; H. H. Leid, Auction Service, Eaby and Eaby, Attys.

SAT. APRIL 5 - 10 A.M. Public Sale of Good Used Machinery and Beef Type Cattle at the Dale Shields Residence, 1 mile west of Jersey Shore on Route 44- turn right at Pine Creek Exit. Sale by Mr. & Mrs. Dale Shields, owners; Si Pepperman, Auctioneer.

SAT APRIL 5 - 11 A.M. Pa. Angus Association Spring Sale (50 Head of Registered Angus Cattle will be sold) Located 8 miles East of Hershey on Rt. 422, near Annville, Old Millarden Farm.

SAT. APRIL 5 - 10 A.M. Complete Dispersal of 90 Beef Cattle and Farm Machinery located at the farm on the West Warren to Nichols Road No. LR 699, 8 miles South of Nichols, N. Y., 8 miles North of FeRaysville, Pa. and 4 miles East of Rt. 187. Sale by Mr. & Mrs. Walter Kolaga, RD2, Nichols, N. Y. Watson J. Dayton, Auctioneer.

SAT. APRIL 5 - 9:30 A.M. C. H. Wolgemuth & Sons Annual All Day Equip. Sale, Tractors, Farm Equip. Sold on Commission, located 4 miles West of Manheim, Lancaster Co., Pa.

SAT. APRIL 5 - 12 Noon Complete Dispersal of 46 Head Registered Polled Herefords and Machinery and Equipment at Millerton, Pa., Tioga Co., 10 miles West of Elmira, N. Y., 17 miles Northeast of Mansfield, Pa. Sale by Robert and Jeraldine Wilcox, owners; Victor Kent, Auctioneers; D. O. Rockwell, Sale Manager.

SAT. APRIL 5 - Feeder Pig Sale 600 Head. East Earl Twp., Lancaster Co. Sale No. 1 at 1 P.M. 250 Head by Paul M. Zeiset, Sale No. 2-2 P.M. 350 Head by John J. Zeiset, Elton Horning, Auctioneer.

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SALE EVERY TUESDAY

GRADED SALE
1st Tuesday each month
2 P M
HORSE AUCTION
2nd Saturday each month
1 P M

FAUQUIER LIVESTOCK EXCHANGE
Marshall, VA
703 364 4861

PUBLIC SALE
MONDAY, MARCH 31, 1975
11:00 A.M.
DAIRY CATTLE, FARM EQUIPMENT

Located on the premises in the village of Bordnerstown, Lebanon County between Indiantown Gap and Lickdale Turn South at Speck's bar in the town of Bordnerstown to the first farm

20 Head Grade Holstein Dairy Cows

Well-conditioned cows with good flesh in various stages of production. Some presently milking and some due to freshen by sale time. Cattle will have health charts and will be pregnancy examined. Plan to attend and purchase some of these cattle.

1 bred heifer 4 open heifers

Corn-soybean silage in a 10' x 35' silo, quantities of hay and straw

300 gal. Esco bulk tank

4 Surge pail units; S.S carrying pail; strainer, 80 gal elec hot water heater; John Wood 30 gal gas hot water heater, Int 4 can milk cooler Int and Surge vacuum pumps, and misc dairy items

Farmall "H" Tractor

Int 7 hay conditioner (like new), V27 Int mounted mower, 2 bottom plow, 3 section spring harrow; plow beam; Int 8' disc harrow; grasshead for JD harvester, and pull type 2 bottom plow

Quaker oil heatrola; brooder stoves; antique egg boxes, berry boxes; peach baskets; large winch; milk cans; plus lots of misc. items too numerous to be mentioned

Sale to be held because of the owner's health

Conditions by.
PAUL HOLLINGER
Harry H. Bachman, Auctioneer
Lunch by Trinity U M Church

ROANOKE HOLLINS STOCKYARDS
1st SPRING FEEDER CATTLE SALE
ROANOKE FEEDER CATTLE ASSOC.
APRIL 10, 1975 — 7 P.M.
1600 TO 1800 HEAD
STATE GRADED
HEIFERS and STEERS
2nd SALE — APRIL 24th, 7 P.M.
SALE HELD EVERY MONDAY 2 P.M.

PUBLIC SALE
VALUABLE FARM MACHINERY
3 Tractors, 14 Bred Holstein Heifers, Sheep, Lambs, Produce, Small Tools

On farm of the late Marlin Koch, 5 miles E of Benton, PA along Benton-Shickshinny Rt 239 Highway

SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 1975
Starting 10:30 A.M.

Leyland Nuffield diesel tractor, WFE, 3 point hitch, 1430 tires, 1512 hours; Case 300D tractor, WFE, 3 pt. hitch, good rubber; J.D. B tractor, power trol; J.D. 3-14 3 pt. plows; Oliver 2-16" 3 pt. plows; J.D. 2 way plows; Oliver 20' transport Harrow (very good); 9' Transport Dbl. Disc; Ford 3 pt 7' wide chisel cultivator; J.D 2-row cultivators; 5' 3 pt. rotary mower; J D 7' tractor mower; J D 40' elevator; J D 8' elev. drag; Case No. 95 spreader; 16' - 14' - 12' wagons; 16' dual wheel trailer, other trailers; Oliver No 5 one row picker 2 yrs old; J D side rake; Horn stalk cutter; cement mixer; 20' grain elevator; IH 13-7 single disc drill on rubber; Ontario 11-7 hoe drill, 2 H P garden tractor with cultivator; J D crimper; PTO 3 pt. fert spreader; small 115V DC generator; J D WFE; Metal miter box to saw, elec fencers, vises, small tools, etc.

30 tons ear corn, baled hay and straw, 300 bu oats Bee hive parts, bee smoker, grain cradle, R R lantern, other lanterns

14 NEBA (Bred) Grade Holstein Heifers due to freshen from latter April to Fall, mostly sired by Virgo Charmcross, Woodbine Ivanhoe Dandy. Health charts Several Ewes and Lambs, bottle lambs, etc

SALE BY:
MRS. ELSIE I. KOCH
Auct. - Max Fraley and Son
546-6631
Lunch

FARMERSVILLE AUCTION
TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 1, 1975
6:00 P.M.
In Farmersville, 3 mi east of Brownstown, Lanc Co PA

The following new items Bookcase and cherry bedroom suites, boxsprings and mattresses, wooden-arm sofa bed with B F Goodrich vinyl armless sofa-bed, platform rocker, lamps, dry sink

Used Blonde bookcase bedroom suite, single bed complete, Duo-Therm space heater Thomas elec organ New Perfection kerosene stove, wood chest, dressers, refrigerator, cedar wardrobe, depression glass, Serta firm mattress, gooseneck platform rocker, roll-away cot, table lots, etc., etc

We sell on commission at 20 percent

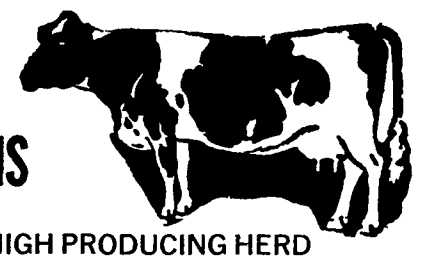
Terms by:
Call 354-5095 · **John J. Rutt**
CONSIGNMENTS ARE NOW BEING TAKEN FOR OUR APRIL 29 ANTIQUE SALE
Next Sale April 15, 1975

SHORT NOTICE JESSE GARDNER
REGISTERED and GRADE
DISPERSAL SALE
THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1975
AT 12:00 NOON

Sale to be held on the Farm Take Rt 187 north of Rome, Bradford Co, 16 miles east of Towanda and 16 miles Southeast of Sayre, Pa 16 miles South of Owego, New York, along Battle Creek Rd Follow Sale arrow

Due to the lack of adequate help, the following well bred, long established herd will be sold at public auction

96 TOP HOLSTEINS



THIS HIGH PRODUCING HERD CONSISTS OF

63 HEAD OF MATURE COWS

Well Uddered with Size and Style, many of which are bred back and milking like a Fresh Cow plus many Fall Cows are due May, June, July, August and Sept. 16 BRED HEIFERS, due June, July, August and September plus 17 OPEN HEIFERS with good size and type.

Approximately 20 King Pin daughters and granddaughters; plus such top sires as Ivanhoe Dinah Charm, Kingsted Ivanhoe and selling Rockman. This herd is on DHIA and are all certified and accredited and tested for interstate. Calves and Heifers are all vaccinated This top herd is the result of well planned breeding and has proven to be one of the top herds in Bradford County with a herd average of 15,602 lbs. milk - 602 lbs fat with 3 9 percent test Many cows milking from 16,000 to 22,000 lbs. in 305 days If in need of top foundation cows or milking replacements for your dairy, don't miss this sale. All cows and bred heifers are pregnancy checked.

Auct Note This extraordinary dairy dispersal is worth your time to attend.

Sale Under Tent

Sale at 12·00 Noon Terms by
JESSE GARDNER
(717) 247-7732
Randal V Kline, Lloyd H. Kreider, Auctioneers
717-626-4975
Carl Diller, Pedigrees
Lunch Available

Public Sales Register

SEMI-ANNUAL OPEN CLASS FAT STEER SHOW & SALE

THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1975

NEW HOLLAND SALES STABLES INC.

Phone: 354-4341

FOUR HOLSTEIN CLASSES Angus Hereford Mixed Breeds

JUDGED & SOLD In Lots of 6

ALL CATTLE FEEDERS ELIGIBLE Judging - 10 A M Sale - 3 P M

26 Trophies Awarded To Sellers & Buyers

Entries may be registered with Abe Diffenbach, Manager

SPECIAL SPRING CONSIGNMENT SALE OF FARMER OWNED EQUIPMENT SATURDAY, APRIL 5,

11:00 A.M.
WAYLAND, NY

Sale to be held at the Pirrung Farm located on Livingston Co Road #37, off RTS 21 245 between Wayland and North Cohocton

A partial listing of consignments from throughout New York and Pennsylvania include:

DOZERS — CRAWLERS:

Cat. "D-2" w-angle blade and new rails, A-1 cond.!! 1959 Oliver "OC-15" 6 cyl Diesel Dozer w-rear wench! Terra-trac crawler w-blade!

TRACTORS:

1964 Ford 4000 w-Selecto-speed! J.D No. 60 w-wide front, 3 pt. hitch, good rubber and cultivators, A-1 cond! I.H. No 300 Utility Tractor w-loader. A-1! 2 - Ford "9-N" tractors, 1 w-rear dirt scoop Ford "8-N" w-Sherman Trans. I.H. Super "M", WFE, Live Hyd and Fire Crater Kit! I.H "H" w-loader, new tires, and Fire Crater Kit! A C "WD" Tractor. M H 44-6 Tractor.

TRUCKS:

1969 I.H No 1800 Full 10 Wheeler, Twin Screw, 5 Speed Trans., w-4 Speed Aux ! 1965 Ford F-750 10 Wheeler w-5 Speed Trans. REO 6 x 6 Army Truck 1967 I.H Scout 4 wheel drive. Ford F-600 1½ T w-14 ft. body and hoist. 1962 I H. 190 w-hoist. I H. KB-6 Stake Body I.H. K.B.-7 Water Tanker. 1955 Ford Pick-up Dodge Stake Body w-hoist

HAYING EQUIPMENT:

ABSOLUTELY BRAND NEW Hesston No 5600 Round Baler, 1500 lb bale output, the only piece of dealer owned equipment in the sale! J D 14-T baler, New Holland "Super 66" Baler; Hesston PTO, No 10 Windrower; A.C No. 829 Haybine; Case Hay Elevator, J.D. Hay Conditioner; I H 7 ft Tractor Mower, 2 bale loader

GENERAL EQUIPMENT & IMPLEMENTS:

Nearly New Kasten 3 beater forage wagon w-heavy duty running gear and 14 ft box! Lamco Feeder Wagon. Haines Stone Picker w-hopper, used on only 10 acres!! J D Rock Windrower, I H 10 ft Mobile Disc, 5 ft. Rotary Mower, Ford Bean Pullers; New Holland Feed Mixer-Grinder on Wheels w-unloading auger, Ford 2-row cultivators w-fert. attachment, 3 pt. hitch New Idea No. 323 1-row corn picker; Stone 16 ft Bulk Fertilizer Body w-hyd. drive; Horn No 500 Manure Loader for wide or narrow front tractor; Haines Bag Elevator; Easy-F10 lime sower; J D Heavy duty disc harrow, Several sets of plows, 2-5 bottom.

MISCELLANEOUS:

Levy hyd. front wheel drive for J D 4020, complete! Hobart Arc Welder-Generator w-Wisconsin Motor, Kellogg American 5 H P. air compressor, 3 P H ; Clay "BARN BOY" Electric Feed Cart, Model EFC58, used only 1 year! 7 Clay Ind. Calf Stalls; 2 Good Chain Saws; Olds "88" 2 door auto.; 1966 4-door Comet Sedan; etc

PRODUCE:

App. 200 Bales of Good Hay; Quantity of Timothy Seed.

Please Note We feel that we have put together a large sale of equipment that is in demand The equipment is good and we urge your participation in the sale either as a buyer or seller! ALL EQUIPMENT IS TO BE SIGNED IN BY 5:00 P M WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2

TERMS: CASH OR GOOD PERSONAL CHECK DAY OF SALE!

LUNCH AVAILABLE!

LATE CONSIGNMENTS WELCOME TIL WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2nd.

SALE MANAGED BY

VICTOR PIRRUNG and SON,

WAYLAND, NY 716-728-2520

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SAT APRIL 5 - 12 Noon Auction of all Tillage, Planting and Harvesting Tools at the Huge D & L Farms Farm Equipment Auction located 7 miles from Penn Yan, NY off Rte. 14A, or off Rte. 364 on Havens and Voak Rds., 20 miles from Bath, NY. Sale D & L Farms, owners. Sale managed by Rumsey Sales, Bath, NY.

SAT. APRIL 5 - 11:30 A.M Marlu Farms "2 In 1" Sale to be held at the Charles C Myers Black & White Farm located just east of Lancaster, Pa. Exit off Rte. 283 just west of Lancaster at Flory's Mill exit and follow around mill to farm Sale by Marlu Farms, Maurice Pollak, owner, Lincroft, N. J. R. Austin Backus, Inc., Sale Mgrs. and Auctioneers, Mexico, N. Y.

SAT. APRIL 5 - 10:30 A.M Public Sale of Valuable Farm Machinery, 3 Tractors, 14 Bred Holstein Heifers, Sheep, Lambs, Produce, Small Tools on the farm of the late Marlin Koch, 5 miles E of Benton, Pa. along Benton-Shickshinny Rt. 239 Highway. Sale by Mrs. Elsie I. Koch, owner; Max Fraley and Son, Auctioneer.

SAT. APRIL 5- 9:30 A.M Public Sale of Feeder Cattle, Machinery, Butcher Tools, Household Goods located 4 mi. South East of Carlisle, ½ mi. South of Rt. 74, ¾ mile North of Allenberry. Sale by Robert B. and Robert C Noss, RD6, Box 482, Carlisle, PA 17013, Gibble and Foreman, Auctioneers.

SAT. APRIL 5 - 10 A.M. Public Sale of Farm Machinery and Household Goods for H & L Farms. Location - On the Windcrest Road, Marlboro, NJ. From PA come over PA Turnpike Bridge, get off at Exit 7 at New Jersey Turnpike go south on Rt. 206 to Rt. 537, follow 537 all the way to Freehold, NJ. Pickup Rt. 79 and follow sale arrows from there. Donald A. Worrell, Sr , Auctioneer, Mount Holly, NJ.

SAT. APRIL 5 - 1:30 P.M. Feeder Pig Sale by Norman M. Martin, R1, Myerstown, Pa. located 6 miles North of Myerstown along Rt 501.

SAT. APRIL 5 - 12:30 Penn National Red & White Holstein Sale at the Farm Show Building, Harrisburg, Penna.

SAT. APRIL 5 - 10.30 A.M. Public Sale of Farm Machinery and Misc. Items located along Kagey Road between Trappe and Graterford, Perkiomen Twp., Montg. Co. From Trappe (Route 422) go North on 7th Ave. to Kegey Road, first farm on left. Conditions by Perkiomen Farms; Nelson C. Weidenbaugh, Auctioneer

TUES APRIL 8 - 11:45 Noon Raymond B Leaman Public Sale of New Machinery, 1974 Machinery, 1973 Machinery, Used Combines, Used Tractors and Used Equipment Location - Take Rt. 222 to Refton, midway between Lancaster and Quarryville (take Brenneman Road North at Graybill Bros. Garage) Terms and Conditions by Raymond Leaman B. Rentzel, Auctioneer.

TUES. APRIL 8 - 10 A.M. Dispersal Sale, Farm Equipment, Dairy Herd, Feeds located 10 mile North of Gettysburg on Old U.S. Rt 15, or 1 mi. North of Heidlersberg, Turn West two mile on Rock Chapel Road to sale Sale by Harold Mansberger, owner; Clair R. Slaybaugh, Auctioneer.

WED. APRIL 9 - 10 A.M. Public Auction (Consignments Welcome) 50 Farm Tractors, 150 Pieces of Farm Equipment and some industrial equipment by York Co. Farm & Industrial Equipment Co., Inc., Exit 10 or 11 off I-83 4 miles North of York, Penna. on Route 181, Emigsville, Penna. Blaine N. Rentzel, Earl Mohr and J Larry Hollinger, Auctioneers, and managers.

THURS. EVE APRIL 10 - 7.30 P.M. Public Sale of Machinery, Feeder Cattle, and Grain located along Rt. 103, approx. 13 miles South West of Lewistown, Mifflin

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SPECIAL SPRING SALE

Orange Livestock Market, Inc.

WED., APRIL 2nd — 3:00 P.M.

ALL WEIGHTS & ALL KINDS
No Special Requirements

For Further Information contact
ORANGE LIVESTOCK MARKET, Orange VA (703) 672 4688
HAYWOOD DARNELL, Barboursville VA (703) 832 3950
LEO OWNBY — (804) 231 0818

ROBERT AND JERALDINE WILCOX

COMPLETE DISPERSAL

(Farm Sold)

LOCATION Millerton, Pa , Tioga Co 10 miles West of Elmira, N Y 17 miles Northeast of Mansfield Pa

SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 1975

at 12 o'clock

46 HEAD REGISTERED POLLED HEREFORDS 46

26 Brood Cows and Heifers (10 Fresh Now - 16 due by June 15, '75), 6 - 1 year old Heifers, 9 - Started Heifer Calves, 5 - Registered Bulls (2 Breeding Age, 3 - 1 yr old)

DOMINO BLOODLINES

Service Sire - RHF Rolette Mac, Sire's Sire - FLF Advance 3 (Reserve Grand Champion of Pa 65) Interstate Tested - Charts Sale Day

MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT

4 Tractors - J D 440 Log Skidder, Int W18 Log Loader w-Bucket and Forks, A.C WD45 Diesel, A C WD Gas Tractor; N H Baler w-bale thrower; 2 N I Mowers; A C Mower; Rake; 3 Hay Wagons w-flat beds; N.I spreader; A C 60 PTO Combine; 2 Sets A.C 3 bottom plows; 2, 3 section Drags; 1 Farm Trailer; Hay Elevator; Hammer Mill, Snow Plow for WD45; Corn Crib; Breaking Cart; Creep Feeder; 3 Metal Gates; Cast Iron Roller; Gasoline Engine w-electric starter; Buzz Saw; 1 Wood and 1 Metal Watering Trough; 4 Overhead Doors, 150,000 BCT Master Heater; Wagon Seats; Single and Double Harnesses; 5 bales Baler Twine; Grass Seed; Combination Gas and Wood Stove; Show Case and Halters; Locust Fence Posts; and many other items sell at this auction.

TRUCKS

1967 Dodge - 2 Ton Log Truck, 1957 Ford - 1½ Ton Log Truck (Both in Good Condition)

ANTIQUE

1 Democrat Wagon, Excellent Condition

TERMS Cash or Good Check Sale Day

Owners -

ROBERT & JERALDINE WILCOX

Auctioneer - VICTOR KENT
Clerk - JEFF WARNER
Sale Manager - D. O. ROCKWELL
Troy, Pa - Phone 717-297-3460

PUBLIC AUCTION

(CONSIGNMENTS WELCOME)

FRIDAY, APRIL 18, 1975

AT 9:30 A.M.

50 Farm Tractors, 200 Pieces of Farm Equipment, 50 Pieces of Industrial Equipment.

Excellent Selection.

Dealers & Farmers: You are urged to bring any consignments you might have to our sale and you are also welcome as a buyer.

Sale Held Rain or Shine.

Make your arrangements now to come to our sale - you will be glad you did.

Refreshments on Sale Site.

Sale conducted by and located at:

WENGER'S FARM MACHINERY INC.

South Race St , Myerstown, PA 17067

Phone 717 866 2138 days or 717 866-7147 nights Just off Route 422 and Route 501 in Myerstown

Sales Manager, Lloyd Wenger

Auctioneers, Blaine Rentzel, Paul Z. Martin

PUBLIC SALE

OF FARM EQUIPMENT AND LAWN AND GARDEN EQUIPMENT

SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 1975

AT 10 A.M.

Located at the Old Dover Feed and Hardware Building on Park Street in Dover, PA, off Route 74

8N Ford; 3000 Ford; 5000 Ford; H Farmall; Pony Massey Harris; Int. Cub LowBoy w-mower; Ferguson 20; homemade tractor w-Wisconsin engine & mower; LowBoy trailer; used steam jenny.

New Int Model 128; Int. Model 129 w-mower; Int 70, Int. Model 72; Int. Cadet; Int. 123 w-mower; Int. 125 w-mower; Int. 147 w-mower; New Ford Models 70 and 100; Ford Model 85 w-mower; Bolen w-mower, wheel horse w-mower, 10 h.p.; J D. tractor Model 112 w-mower & blade; Moto Mower; Case w-mower; Sears w-cultivator; A.C Model B12 w-mower, and various mowers

Walk-behind snowblower; walk-behind hand-tiller, McCullough chain saw Model 1010; misc chain saws, snowmobiles, Yamaha and Moto Ski; Honda motorcycle 160, and misc items too numerous to mention

Sale by: **Straley Farm Supply Inc.**
1760 East Canal Road
Dover, PA 17315
Phone 717-292-4443

Terms Cash or Prior Sale Day Credit Approval
Auctioneer Blaine N Rentzel

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Co. Sale by Lewis E. Fisher, owner; Long Bros., Auctioneers.

THURS. APRIL 10 - 12:30 Noon Sunnydell Farm Guernsey Dispersal, Warren and Ellen Bucher, Owners, Myerstown, Pa. to be held at the Ass'n. Sales Pavilion, Lancaster, Penna. Sale managed by Penna. Guernsey Breeders' Ass'n., Camp Hill, Pa

THURS. APRIL 10 - Semi-Annual Open Class Fat Steer Show and Sale at the New Holland Sales Stables, Inc., New Holland, PA. Judging 10 A.M., Sale 3 P.M. Entries may be registered with Abe Diffenbach, Manager.

THURS. APRIL 10 - 12:00 Noon Public Sale of 96 Head Reg. and Grade Holstein Dairy Dispersal (one of the top herds in Bradford Co.) Location - Go off Rt. 187 North to Rome, Pa. Bradford Co. 16 miles East of Towanda and 16 miles Southeast from Sayre and 16 miles South of Owego, N.Y. along Battle-Creek Road. Sale by Jesse Gardner; Randal V. Kline and Lloyd H. Kreider, Auctioneers.

FRI. APRIL 11 - 1:30 P.M. Special Sale, Feeder Cattle and Calves at the Blue Ridge Livestock Sales, Inc., Charles Town, W. Va.

FRI. APRIL 11 - 9 a.m. Public Sale of Tractors, Full Lines of Orchard and Farm Equipment, Irrigation System, Tools, etc. located 6 miles South of Mt. Holly Springs, turning East off Route No. 34 at Goodyear Church 2 miles thence North 1-10 mile to sale or Midway between Mt. Holly and York Springs turning West off Route No. 94 at the Goodyear Road 2 miles to Sale. Sale by Lester F. Starner, Maybelle M. Starner, Owners, RD1, Gardners, Pa.; Clair R. Slaybaugh, Auct.

FRI. APRIL 11 - 10:30 A.M. Public Sale of Farm Machinery, Dairy Equipment, Feed, and 60 Holstein Cows and 5 Bred Heifers on the Lawson Farm located on Ten Mile Creek Road just off Route 121 near Boyds, Montgomery Co., Maryland. From Route 270 take 'Clarksburg-Boyds Exit and go 3½ miles south on Route 121. Sale by John L. Burdette, Boyds, Maryland; A. Doty Remsburg, Sale Mgr. and Auctioneer.

SAT. APRIL 12 - 10 A.M. Seventh Annual Public Sale of the Rawlinsville Fire Co. Farm Implements, Building Materials, Household Goods and Antiques. Items sold on commission. Food served. Phone 284-4362 or 284-4530

SAT. APRIL 12 - 1 P.M. Sale of 225 Head of Hogs and Feeder Pigs by Stan L. Reinecker, R2, York Springs, Pa.

SAT. APRIL 12 - 12 Noon Feeder Sale at Hunter's Sale Barn, Inc., Rising Sun, Route 276, Maryland, formerly West Nottingham Sales.

SAT. APRIL 12 - 10 A.M. Public Sale of Modern Household Goods, Fine Collection of Victorian Antiques and Collectibles located at Catawissa, Pa. along Rt. 42 in Columbia County. Sale by Betty Cherrington, owner; John Autotore and Ronald Funk. Auctioneers.

SAT. APRIL 12 - 1:30 P.M. Public Auction of 175-225 Head 40-80 pound Choice Feeder Pigs to be held 1 mile South of Richland, 3 miles South of Myerstown on 501 turn East at Country House Restaurant, follow sale signs. Terms by Paul M. Zimmerman, Myerstown R2,; John E. and Paul E. Martin, Auctioneers.

SAT. APRIL 12 - Public Sale of Real Estate, Power Tools, Household Goods and Antiques located in the Village of Lickdale, next to the Mobile Gas Station, Lebanon Co., Pa. Conditions by Roland Zechman; John Breidegam, Auctioneer.

SAT. APRIL 12 - 10:30 A.M. Public Sale of Farm Machinery and Tools located approx. 1½ miles south of Fawn Grove, Pa. along Fawn Grove Rd. in the 4th District of Harford Co., Md. Sale by Mrs. Walter Lowe, Pylesville, Md.; Robert L. Sechrist, Auctioneer

SAT. APRIL 12 - Public Sale of Farm Machinery, Excavating Equipment and lots of tools located near Mastersonville along the Colebrook Road. Sale for the Leon Kulp Estate and Anna Mary Kulp. Rufus Gelb and Raymond Miller, Auctioneers.

SAT. APRIL 12 - 10 A.M. Rain or Shine Public Sale of Ford and International New and Used Lawn and Garden Tractors, Riding Mowers, Push Mowers, and Lawn and Garden Accessories. Farm Tractors, Industrial Tractors, Farm Equipment, and Miscellaneous Items too Numerous to Mention. Location - the Old Dover Feed and Hardware Building, on Park Street in Dover, Penna., off Route 74. Blaine N. Rentzel, Auctioneer.

SAT. APRIL 12 - 11 A.M. Public Sale of Holstein Dairy and Farm Machinery, located between Doylesburg and Concord, along Rt. 75, Franklin County, PA. Sale by William K. Bender, owner; Speer and Harry, Auctioneers.

SAT. APRIL 12 - 11 a.m. - Public Sale of Stock Reduction of Hardware and Merchandise located at Nolt's Ice Plant, Martindale, Pa. Sale by Nolt's Ice Co., Randal V. Kline and Paul Landis, Auctioneers.

MON. EVE. APRIL 14 - 6 P.M Special Saddle Horse and Standardbred Horse Sale to be held at Paul Z. Martin's Sale Barn, 2 miles East of Intercourse, at intersection of Route 340 and New Holland Road, 4 miles

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PA ANGUS ASSOCIATION
SPRING SALE
SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 1975
11:00 A.M.

50 HEAD OF REGISTERED ANGUS CATTLE WILL BE SOLD

Cows and Calves
Bulls, Open Heifers, Bred Heifers
Location - 8 miles East of Hershey on Rt 422, near Annville, Old Millarden Farm
An Excellent Offering of Angus Cattle

Lunch Available on Grounds
Catalogs on Request

Write to: **JEAN FRETZ**
RD1, Zionsville, PA 18092

WAKEFIELD LIONS CLUB
2nd ANNUAL
COMMUNITY AUCTION
SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 1975
10:00 A.M.

At Powl's Feed Mill along Rt 272, 17 miles South of Lancaster, Pa., 1 mile North of Wakefield, Pa

Farm Equipment Sold at 1:00 P.M.

Model 4000 Ford with Industrial loader and scraper, less than 1000 hours; 14 x 35 Metal silo; Oliver Raydex trailing 3-14" plow on rubber; Fertilizer drill; Hay crimper; IHC 2-row corn planter; IHC 13 disc grain drill; Fox Chopper 1 row with power unit; Gas Brooder (50 chick size). Many more items expected not listed.

3 pt. hitch 2-row cultivator; Farmall A Tractor with hand lift cultivators; 8 H.P J C. Penney riding mower with snow blower, like new

VEHICLES

1966 Chev Pickup ½ ton, 6 cyl., stick with tool racks. 1967 Chev Van, good condition 1967 Buick LaSabre, fully equip. with radials. 1967 Camaro, V8, Vinyl top, automatic 175cc Bridgestone Motorcycle. 1960 Int Bus converted to Camper

HAY, STRAW, LIVESTOCK

Note Reg. Half Arabian Chestnut Colt (Champion Bloodlines).

Building Materials. 2x4's, 2x6's, 2x8's, Aluminum Storm Windows, Alum Siding, other materials expected not listed

HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND APPLIANCES

Antiques — Hitchcock chair, Oak sideboards, Painted China Closet, Dishes, Screens, Ven. Blinds, Vac Cleaner, Assorted Chairs; Patio Furn, Baby Crib, Universal Elec Range, Hotpoint Range, Kelvinator 30" built-in range, auto Maytag Washer, 21" Zenith Color TV, Zenith radio, lamps, 20" window fan, record player, port typewriter, 20' Triangle TV tower, lawn mowers, 1 Refrigeration unit, 100 ft heavy extension cord Many small items expected not listed

Dogs - 4 year old AKC Beagle, 3½ year old AKC Brittany Spaniel

All items sold on a commission basis and should be in good condition Donated items appreciated
Food will be available

To consign call 786-2627 or 548-2803

J Everett Kreider, Auctioneer

DISPERSAL SALE
FARM EQUIPMENT, DAIRY HERD, FEEDS
TUESDAY, APRIL 8th, 1975
STARTING AT 10:00 A.M.

Located 10 mile North of Gettysburg on Old U S Rt 15, or 1 mi North of Heidlersberg, Turn West two mile on Rock Chapel Road to sale

3 REGISTERED - 22 GRADE HOLSTEINS

18 milking age, about ½ fresh or close by sale date - others due May and June. 7 heifers, 6 mos. to 1 year. Herd bred to ABC sires. A young herd with lots of potential.

Wilson 300 gal. bulk tank, remote control; 3 Surge milker units; 2 50 lb.; SS strainer, bucket and twin wash vats; 40 cow trainers; Jamesway feed cart; 2 Jamesway litter carriers and track; Patz barn cleaner for 32 cows, good condition; 36" air conditioner fan; 10 - 85 lb. milk cans, good condition; Stewart clippers; dehorners; 3 metal bulk feed bins, 1-3 ton, 2-2 ton. Approx. 1,000 bu. earred corn.

FARM EQUIPMENT

JD 520 tractor with side weights; JD "B" with cultivators and pusher; Oliver 77 with New Idea loader; NH 271 baler with bale thrower; NH No. 6 self unloading wagon; P.T. 10 Hesston Haybine; Papec portable grinder mixer; NH 616 forage harvester with 3 heads; Oliver transport disc; Oliver 7' disc harrow; New Idea No. 10 cornpicker; 5 ton Grove rubber tire wagon w-high side and tight bottom; Green Chop wagon; 2 rubber tire wagons, JD and David Bradley; JD 127 rotary mower, 5'; JD 3 pt. 3-14" bottom tripback plows; JD 10 ft lime and fertilizer spreader; NI stalk shredder; Roper 12" post hole digger; JD power driven corn sheller; NH 18' bale elevator; Smoker hay and grain elevator, Cardinal 16' elevator; Case 2 section rotary hoe; JD No 55 silo blower w-unloading attachment; JD No 33 manure spreader; JD hyd cylinder; 2 rolls new American wire; egg washer, grader, baskets, and cooler; 32 ft. double wood ladder, platform scales; 3 bags Sudax; 2 wheelbarrow seeders; potatoe plow; broom corn cleaner, broom corn seed; 2 wagon loads of small farm tools and many miscellaneous items not mentioned

Refreshments at sale

HAROLD MANSBERGER, OWNER

CLAIR R. SLAYBAUGH, Auctioneer
IDAVILLE, PA, Phone 677-7479

GAP AUCTION
FRIDAY EVENING, APR. 4, 1975
6:00 P.M.

Located off Route 41 - Lancaster Avenue Opposite Turkey Hill Minit Market - Cross RR Bridge

ANTIQUES SOLD AT EVERY AUCTION

Inspection Friday from 9 00 a m until sale time

CONSIGNMENTS ON MONDAYS FROM 8 00 A M. TO 7 00 P M

OTHER DAYS BY APPOINTMENT
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442-4936 or 442-8254
CONDUCTORS ALL TYPES PUBLIC SALE

PUBLIC SALE
ROLAND ZECHMAN
Real Estate, Power Tools, Household Goods and Antiques
SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 1975

IN THE VILLAGE OF LICKDALE, next to the Mobil Gas Station, Lebanon Co, Pa

Property to be sold at 1:30 P.M.

2½ Story Farm House

This 2½ Story Frame House has 4 rooms on the first floor with built-in Cupboards in Kitchen, also Bath. Second Floor has 3 Bedrooms. Attic, Basement, one Story Cement Block Garage and Work Shop. Inspection of Home on April 5 from 12:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Household Goods and Antiques

3 Piece Living Room Suite, 5 Piece Bedroom Suite, Oak Bed and Bureau, Blanket Chest, Milk Cupboard, CRADLE, SLANT TOP DESK, Drop Leaf table, High Sink, Walnut Drop Leaf Table, Oak Round Table

Plank seat and Kane seat chairs

Child Chairs, Rocking Chairs, Lawn Chairs, 2 China Closets, Coal Heatrola, T.V. Set, SINGER SEWING MACHINE, 3 - ½ Spindle Chairs, High Chairs, Small Table and Chairs, Lanterns, Rayo Lights, 6 Oil Lights, Parlor Lights, 3 Light Bases, 2 Majestic Cook Stoves, Refrigerator, Brass Clothes Tree, Sewing Rocker, Wash Stand, Butcher Fork and Spoon, 1 Gal. and 5 Gal. Crocks, Jugs.

Coins will be sold at 2:00 P.M.

5 Dollar Gold Piece, 10 Dollar Gold Note, Indian Head Cents, Mercury Dimes, 2 Cent Piece, 3 Cent Piece, Buffalo Nickles, Copper Cents, Silver Dollars, Lots of Silver Quarters and Lots of Other Coins.

Tools

CRAFTSMAN SAW AND MOTOR, Table Saw and Motor, 6 in. Jointer, Turning Lathe, Drill Press, Miterbox and Saw, Hand Saws, Bench Grinder, Broad Ax, Posthole Ax, 2 Buck Saws, Electric Drill, Electric Sander, 6 Tool Chests, Pipe Vise, Squares, all kinds of Hammers, Pipe Wrenches, Tool Boxes, Lots of Nails, Drill Bits, All Kinds of Chisels of Various Calibers and Hundreds of small Items not mentioned.

All kinds of carpenter tools

Hog Trough, Brass Bucket, Sausage Stuffer, Garden Tools, Drawing Knives, 5 Cow Bells, Fishing Box Scale, OLD LOCKS, Early Hardware, Wheelbarrow, Power Lawn Mower.

Shelf Clock, Oak Stand, Kitchen Chairs, Tin Cookie Cutters, Glass Baskets, Cake Stand, Cups, Saucers, Plates

Sale starts at 10 00 A.M sharp

Conditions By
Roland Zechman

ROBERT SIEGRIST of
Siegrist, Kollar and Siegrist, Attorney
JOHN BREIDEGAM, Auctioneer
Curtis Swope & Ray Deck, Clerks

Refreshments by the Ladies of the Lickdale Church

Public Sales Register

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South of New Holland. Sale by Paul Z. Martin; Martin Auctioneers and Associates.

MON. APRIL 14 - 11 A.M. Public Sale of Farm Equipment, Tools, Truck, Car, Household goods, Antiques etc. located 1 mile east of New Oxford on Route 30, turn onto Route 94, north at Cross Keys and go 1 mile to Sale. Terms by Mrs. Urath R. Lemmon, Owner, RR1, New Oxford, Pa. Clair R. Slaybaugh, Auctioneer.

TUES. APRIL 15 - 6 P.M. Public Auction of Furniture, Glassware, Appliances, etc. at The Farmersville Auction located at Farmersville, 3 miles East of Brownstown, Lancaster Co. Sale by John J. Rutt; Richard Murray, Auctioneer.

TUES. APRIL 15 - 1 P.M. Special Graded Feeder Pig Sale at the Lancaster Stockyards, Inc., Lancaster, Penna.

WED. APRIL 16 - 9:30 A.M. Consignment Sale by David H. Good, located ½ mile North of Route 23 on North Maple Ave. in Leola, Lancaster Co., Pa. F. Snyder, R Martin, C. H. Wolgemuth and C. Diller, Auctioneers.

THURS AND FRI. APRIL 17 & 18 - Pennsylvania State Holstein Sales, Farm Show Building, Harrisburg, Pa. Sale sponsored by Pennsylvania Holstein Association, 839 Benner Pike, State College, Pa.

THURS. APRIL 17 - 7 P.M. Calf and Yearling Sale, 1500 Head, to be held at the Fauqier Livestock Exchange, Marshall, Va.

FRI. APRIL 18 - 7:30 P.M. 1975 Feeder Cattle and Calf Sale at the South Branch Stockyards, Inc., Moorefield, West Virginia.

FRI. APRIL 18 - 8 P.M. Nite Cow Sale at the Black & White Holstein Farm, Lancaster, Pa. across from the Comet Drive-in Theatre or ¼ mile West of breeding unit. Charles C. Myers, owner; Abe Diffenbach, Auctioneer; Henry Kettering, Pedigrees; Park Myers, Sales Manager.

FRI. APRIL 18 - 1 p.m. Winchester - 2nd Spring Feeder Calf & Yearling Sale - to be held at the Farmers Livestock Exchange, Inc., located 1½ miles west of Winchester, Va. on U.S. Route 50.

FRI. APRIL 18 - 11 A.M. Public Sale of Registered and Grade Holsteins and Farm Equipment located in Columbia County, Pa., 5 miles North of Bloomsburg just off Route 44. Records on cows selling up to 19,000 lbs. of milk. 76 head of which 14 are Registered. Sale by Elvin and Elaine Doutrich; Kreider, Diller and Fraley, Auctioneers.

SAT. APRIL 19 - 10 A.M. Morning Public Cattle Sale of 52 head of Grade Stock Bulls, Steers and Heifers located 1 mile north off Route 422 (turn west at Hillside Motel), 3 miles south off Route 562 (between Yellow House and Stonersville), along Limekiln Road, Amity Twp., Berks Co. Sale by Earl R. Hafer; John D. Frey and George D. Frey, Auctioneers

SAT. APRIL 19 - 10:30 to 3:00 Mid-Atlantic Brown Swiss Day and Calf Sale at Swissvale Farms, 69 Bell Road, Westminster, MD.

SAT. APRIL 5 - 11 A.M. Special Spring Consignment Sale of Farmer Owned Equipment to be held at the Pirrung Farm located on Livingston Co. Road No. 37, off Rts. 21-245 between Wayland and North Cohorton. Sale managed by Victor Pirrung and Son, Wayland, NY.

SAT. APRIL 19 - 9:30 A.M. Real Estate at 2 P.M. Public Sale of Valuable Real Estate, Trucks, Store Equipment and Groceries located midway between Springville and Rte. 23, 3 miles South off of Rte. 23 on Peter's Road, ½ mile south of Acorn Acres, Lancaster County, Pa. Terms by Ella M. Esbenshade, executrix for the Aaron M. Esbenshade Estate. Robert E. Martin and Frank L. Steller, Auctioneers.

SAT. APRIL 19 - 11 a.m. - Public Auction of Farm Implements, Household Goods and Antiques located in Chester County, 5 miles east of Gap and 1 mile west of Sadsburyville on Route 30, turn south on Old Mill Road. Sale by Mrs. Elam D. Shreiner; Ira Stoltzfus and Son, Auctioneers.

SAT. APRIL 19 - 11 A.M. Public Sale of Feeder Steers and Farming Implements located approx. 7 miles south of Spring Grove off of Rt. 516 along Wolfgang Rd. (near Jefferson) in York Co., PA. Watch for arrows leading to sale. Sale by Roy Mummert, Brodbecks, PA owner; Robert L. Sechrist, Auctioneer.

SAT. APRIL 19 - 10 A.M. Public Sale of Farm Equipment, Irrigation System, Feed Equipment and Trucks located at Winterstown, 5 miles south of Red Lion on Rt. 24, York County, Pa. Sale ordered by Carroll E. Anderson, owner; Sale conducted by Bradley K. Smith, Auctioneer.

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STATE GRADED

YEARLING SALE

1200 HEAD

STEERS and HEIFERS

THURSDAY, APRIL 3, 1975

7:00 P.M.

1500 HEAD

CALF and YEARLING SALE

THURSDAY, APRIL 17

7:00 P.M.

FAUQUIER LIVESTOCK EXCHANGE

Marshall, Virginia 703-364-4861

COMPLETE DISPERSAL

Having decided to discontinue farming, the following will be offered for sale at public auction, located at the farm, on the West Warren to Nichols Road No LR 699, 8 miles South of Nichols, NY, 8 miles North of LeRaysville, PA and 4 miles East of Rt 187

SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 1975

(BLIZZARD DATE TUES., APR. 8, 1975)

10:00 A.M. SHARP

90 BEEF CATTLE

52 Angus bulls, steers and heifers, 31 mature Angus steers and 1 Holstein heifer, also WYE PLANTATION AMAZON BULL. Many of these animals are registered or eligible for registration and will make good foundation animals. Local and interstate charts day of sale, and inoculated for shipping fever.

MACHINERY — 3 TRACTORS

AC 180 Diesel with LPTO, PS & 1200 hrs., 3 yrs. old; AC 160 diesel with PS, LPTO, front end loader, used only 2 seasons; Ford 8N with concrete mixer, AC 4B plow with side hill hitch, AC No. 782 chopper with Si row corn and grass PU. heads, AC blower, 2 AC 7 ton wagons with Gehl boxes, New Idea corn picker-grinder, New Idea cut-ditioner, New Idea 32 ft. elevator, NI flail spreader, 150 Bu.: AC 10 ft. disc, N.H. No. 65 baler, 4 hay skids, 2 Wh farm trailer, J.D. 4 row corn planter, Century sprayer, roller, Cyclone seeder, hammermill, Shaver post driver, 30 ft. blower pipe, 20' Skelton elevator.

2 SILOS 2

Madison silo, 2 yrs. old, 18' x 50'; Madison silo, 4 yrs. old, 14' x 50'; Badger silo unloader and distributor, some silage.

ALSO: Marquette 180 Amp welder, 1900 sq. ft. Barn with hand-hewn timbers and old boards. 15,000 Watt Generator, air compressor, New Idea double cylinders, platform scales, Lg. force pump with 7½ HP Motor, shallow well pump, bale of baler twine, table saw with 3 HP motor, fertilizer, seed corn, Lg. quantity of Hemlock boards, hotbed sash, 40' wood ladder, over 300' of ¾" plastic pipe, Homeco riding mower, Sm tools, Wagon seats, Wine press, Locust Posts, Fence controls, etc.

TERMS — CASH OR GOOD CHECK

Lunch Tent

OWNERS:

Mr. & Mrs. Walter Kolaga

RD2, Nichols, NY

AUCTIONEER:

Watson J. Dayton

RD5, Montrose, PA 18801

(717) 934-2309

AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: Most of this machinery is like new, and warrants your inspection Plan to attend this fine dispersal

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HUNTER'S SALE BARN, INC.

Rising Sun, Route 276, Maryland

(Formerly West Nottingham Sales)

Phone: 301-658-6400

COMING SALES

LAWN, GARDEN & FARM EQUIPMENT SALE

SATURDAY, MARCH 29 - 10:30 A.M.

FEEDER SALE

SAT., APRIL 12, 12 NOON

HORSE & TACK SALE

SAT., APRIL 19, 12 NOON

FURNITURE & HOUSEHOLD SALE

SAT., APRIL 26, 2 P.M.

Livestock, Poultry, Produce, Household Auction, Flea Market Every Monday Night.

PUBLIC SALE

STOCK REDUCTION AUCTION OF HARDWARE MERCHANDISE and MACHINERY

SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 1975

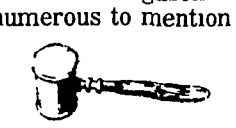
11:00 A.M.

LOCATION East on Rt 322 to Hinkletown light Turn left to Martindale Square Turn right Take the first road left, Conestoga Ave , to the Ice Plant

Driveway Vacuum Cleaner with 5 h.p Wisconsin Engine; New Socket Sets with ⅜" Drive; S. K. Tools; 20 New Car Tires 7.35 to 8.35 x 15"; 12 - 10 x 20 Regular Truck Tires, Recaps; Lots of Bolts; Screws; Hose Clamps by the Hundreds; Fans; New-Used Pulleys; Lots of Electric Wire; Barrels; Fence Posts; 1 Bag Stapling Machine; New Produce Scales; Motors; one-third h.p. Milk Pump; New ½ h p. Water Pump, Other Pumps.

200' of 4" Plastic Pipe

½ Dozen R-89 Three Year Delco Batteries; 8-55 Gal Drums of Texaco Grease; 8' Pickup Top; Lot of New & Used Pipe Fittings; Lots of Pipe & Scrap Iron; Old Batteries, N.H. Silage Blower; Case 13-Hole Grain Drill; Hay Loader; 50' Endless Belt; P.T O. Pulley For Fordoor Ferguson Plus many, many items too numerous to mention



SALE BY.

NOLTS' ICE CO.

(717) 354-5322

RANDAL KLINE, Auctioneer (717) 626-4975

PAUL LANDIS, App Auctioneer (717) 354-8453

Not Responsible For Accidents

Lunch By Martindale Fire Co

RAYMOND B. LEAMAN

PUBLIC SALE

TUESDAY, APRIL 8, 1975

11:45 NOON

Take Rt 222 to Refton, midway between Lancaster and Quarryville (take Brenneman Road North at Graybill Bros Garage)

NEW MACHINERY

Int. No. 55 Chisel 3 bar 11 ft. Int. No. 510 13 x 7 Grain Drill w-fert. Int. No. 400 Air Planter, N.H. No. 352 Grinder-mixer.

Int. 1066 Tractor w-full warranty. Int. 1466 cab — air J.D. 4430 w-Cab & Air. Minimum bid $18,000 on these two tractors.

1974 MACHINERY

N.H. 357 Grinder mixer — the big one N.H. 273 Baler baled 4000 only.

N.I. 323 picker — picked 25 acres. 2 Parker 165 Bu. Gravity Bin wagon, 2 36 ft. N.H. Elevator w-motors, N.H. No. 8 Forage Wagon hauled 8 load, J.D. Plateless 1240 planter w-fert.

1973 MACHINERY

J.D 2 row 3 pt. Cultivator, N.I. 2 Row 324 Picker 12 Roll, J.D. 3 pt. mower, J D. Post Hole Digger.

USED COMBINES

Int. 315 w-cab, grain and corn heads, M.F 300 w-cab., grain and corn head, Oliver 25 — grain and corn head.

USED TRACTORS

1066 Int; 1968 4020 J.D Synchro w-widefront, Oliver 1750 over and under Oliver 1555 Diesel. Clean Case 730 gas w-wide front. J D 2030 Utility Diesel w-Ind. — P.T.O — INT 544 Diesel Hi Crop Utility. J D. 620 w-3 pt and Loader, Cyclone A J.D. Int. 656 Utility Hydro w-2000 Loader. 1972 Oliver Loader Tractor w-3 pt. 4 Star MM w-good Loader. Int 460 Utility w-loader; Int. 574 Diesel.

USED EQUIPMENT

4020 — 3020 4 row front mount Cultivator, J.D 483 Haybine, 4 Row Brady Stalk Chopper, Brillion Sure Stand Seeder 3 pt. J D No. 65 Blower, J.D. 6 row Plateless Planter w-no till coulters, 2 Int. 456 4 Row Planters, 2 J.D. 494-495 Planters, Int. 710 - 6 bottom 18" Auto Plow, Int. & J.D. 3-4-5 Plows. J.D. and Int. wheel discs, J.D. 999 Horse drawn planter, J.D Wagon w-kicker racks, N I mounted Picker 8 roll set of 8 bolt hubs and 11 L 16 tires and wheels for 806 and up. Pair of wheels, rims, and 24.5 - 32 deep tread tires for 806 and up. Int. Pitmanless mower pull type good pair 18 4x34 tires on dual rims, Int. and J.D. Weights Front and Rear — Cylinders — Misc

Late Additions — Farmall 756 Diesel with 5 bottom auto. plow; Minneapolis G 950 tractor; Int No 500 plowing Disks; Int No. 480 14 ft wheel Disk

Trucks Int. 1890 Loadstar short w-base, 1967 Chevy Dirt Dump w-air brakes

10 Percent Down Sale Day Balance at Pickup

AUCTIONEER B. RENTZEL

TERMS & CONDITIONS BY:

RAYMOND LEAMAN

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SAT. APRIL 19 - 1:30 P.M. Public Sale of 500 Feeder Pigs located 3 miles N.E. of Bethel, off Route 22, behind Trainer's Midway Diner. Terms by Adam Martin; George E. Stone, Jr. and John D. Kilmer, Auctioneers.

PUBLIC SALE

OF FARM IMPLEMENTS, HOUSEHOLD GOODS & SOME ANTIQUES

SAT., APRIL 5, 1975

Along Bonview Drive, Denver, Lanc. Co., Pa. (near swimming pool)

Ford tractor with 2 bottom plow; Ford tractor, mower, rotary mower, snow blade, ground blade, boom, wheel weights; 2 section harrow, heat houser, hay conditioner, New Idea manure spreader, lime drill, Ford manure loader, Ford tractor with mounted highway snow blower with extra power unit, 2 Gravely garden tractors with snow blower, snow blade, rotary and sickle bar mowers, spike harrow and plow, saw blade and power sprayer, sulky, Lawn Boy solid state power mower, like new; and many other items used on the farm.

4 piece modern maple bedroom suite, box springs and mattress, roll top bed, spring and mattress, 3 piece upholstered living room suite; 3 piece sectional living room suite, 7 piece breakfast set, 4000 BTU window air conditioner (new); Lyre back and spindle back rockers, half spindle plank bottom settee, old bolt action gun, Remington 16 gauge model 31 pump gun, Remington 32-40 and 2-35 rifles, one with scope, small Strickler axe, 7 foot sand stone water trough, 6 foot oval cut sand stone water trough, heart cut design sand stone water drain, lot of other antiques and glass and china ware, lot Christmas fixtures and many items not listed. Small barn and yard and implements will be sold first.

Sale at 10 A.M.

Terms by

DORA STUBER,

Executrix of the John Stuber Estate.

H. H. Leid Auction Service.
Eaby and Eaby, Attys.

SAT. APRIL 19 - 9 a.m. Public Sale of Antiques, Household Goods, and Collectibles 1973 Cadillac Sedan DeVille, located on Market St., Bloomsburg, Pa. just off Rt. 80. Estate of Ruth Deiterick, John Aufotore and Ronald Funk, Auctioneers.

SAT. EVE. APRIL 19 - 7 P.M. Public Sale of Feeder Cattle, Machinery and Trucks located 15 mi. South of Sunbury, ½ mi. East of Jct. of Rt. 147 and 225, ¼ mi. East of Mandata. Richard D. Baumert, owner; Long Bros., Auctioneers.

SAT. APRIL 19 - 11 A.M. Public Sale of Real Estate, Household Goods and Antiques located in the Village of Bethel, Berks County, Pa. Conditions by Arbie Derr, Executor for the Alvin Morgan Estate; John Breidegam, Auctioneer.

SAT. APRIL 19 - 2 P.M. Public Sale of 2½ Story Brick Dwelling and some Household Goods located in the Village of Blue Ball along Rt. 322. Sale by John W. and Laura Shepp; Nevin Z. Martin, Auctioneer.

SAT. APRIL 19 - 10 A.M. Public Sale of Real Estate, Household Goods and Antiques located at 223 West High St., Manheim, Pa. Sale by Mae G. Nissley; C. H. & Bob Wolgemuth, Auctioneers.

SAT. APRIL 19 - 12 Noon Horse and Tack Sale at Hunter's Sale Barn, Inc., Rising Sun, Route 276, Maryland, formerly West Nottingham Sales.

SAT. APRIL 19 - 10:30 A.M. Public Auction of 15 acre farm, two acres mountainland, Household items, Antiques and Collectibles located one mile South of Berrysburg, 2½ miles North of Elizabethville, along Route 225, Mifflin Township, Dauphin County, Pa. Sale by George W. Klinger, owner; George N. Deibert, Auctioneer.

TUES. APRIL 22 - 10 a.m. Public Sale of Farm Equipment, Hogs, Tools, Household Goods located 2½ miles north of York Springs on Rte. 94, turn west on Good Year Road 2-10 mile, then take Still House Road 2-10 mile to Sale, in Adams County, Pa. Sale by George P. Stambaugh and-or Jeanette L. Stambaugh, owners R.R. No. 1, Gardners, Pa.; Clair R. Slaybaugh, Auctioneer.

FRI. APRIL 25 - 12 Noon Special Graded Stocker and Feeder Sale at the Lancaster Stockyards, Inc., Lancaster, Penna.

SAT. APRIL 26 - 2 p.m. - Public Sale of 110 Acre farm (Tract No. 1 90 acres, Tract No. 2 - 20 Acres) Located along Rt. 274 between towns of Blaine and Andersonburg, Perry Co., Pa. Sale by Melvin Zook; Randal V. Kline, Auctioneer.

SAT. APRIL 26 - 10 A.M. Annual Spring consignment sale, Rough & Tumble Engineers Historical Association, Kinzer, Pa.

SAT. APRIL 26 - 2 P.M. Public Sale of Valuable Real Estate, 52.26 acres land joins New Holland Boro, 1 mile South of Rt. 23 with road frontage along Ranck Ave. Terms by New Holland Community Memorial Park Association. Robert E. Martin and Frank L. Steller, Auctioneers.

SAT. APRIL 26 - 2 P.M. Furniture and Household Sale at Hunter's Sale Barn, Inc., Rising Sun, Route 276, Maryland, formerly West Nottingham Sales.

FRI. MAY 2 - 4:30 P.M. Public Sale of Real Estate, Household Goods, Antiques located at 620 Chestnut Street in Columbia, Lancaster County, PA. Sale by Michael C. Dinkel, Jr., power in fact for Elena Y. Dinkel, 106 Harrison Dr., New Cumberland, PA. Clair R. Slaybaugh, Auctioneer.

FRI. MAY 16 - 12 Noon Special Graded Stocker and Feeder Sale at the Lancaster Stockyards, Inc., Lancaster, Penna.

FRI. AND SAT. MAY 23 and 24 - 10 A.M. EDT each Day - Public Sale of 400 Head of Cattle, all Milking Cows and Bred Heifers (165 Purebred Cows, 90 purebred Heifers, balance Grades) for Scott Farm, Long Valley, N. J. Her ave. 17,900, 3.7, 669. Sale managed by Hanover Hill Sales & Service, Millerton, N. J. 12546. Catalogues on Request.

SAT. MAY 24 - 9 A.M. Public Auction of Farm Equipment and Tools, Antiques and Collectibles located ½ mile North of Hegins, along Valley Road; turn North off Route 25 at Kroh's Exxon Service Center, in East Hegins, Pa. Sale by Ned W. Schrope and Florence Schrope; George N. Deibert, Auctioneer.

FRI. AUG. 8- 6 p.m. Public Sale of Bred Gilts, Open Gilts and Boars to be held at the Lebanon Fairgrounds, located 1½ miles South of Lebanon at the intersection of Cornwall and Evergreen Roads. Sale by the Pa. Yorkshire Association.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 5 (11:30 A.M.)

LANCASTER, PA

Sale held at the Charles C. Myers Black & White Farm located just east of Lancaster, PA. Exit off Rte. 283 just west of Lancaster at Flory's Mill Exit and follow around mill to farm.

65 REGISTERED HOLSTEINS

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SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 12:30 P.M.

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Sales Report

Sechrist Sales Company, Inc.
Livestock Auction
Stewartstown, Pa.
March 24, 1975

CATTLE 157 Steers - High Choice and Prime $3950-40.00; Good Choice $39.00-39.25; Good $38.00-38.75; Standard Good $37.50-37.75; Holsteins Good $32.00-35.50; Standard to Good $27.00-29.50.

Heifers - High Choice and Prime $34.00-35.85; Good to Choice $33.00-33.75; Good $30.00-32.00; Standard Good $27.00-28.00; Holsteins Good $25.00-26.50; Standard Good $23.00-24.75.

Feeder Steers - Good and Choice $31.00-33.50; Standard Good $30.00-30.75; Utility $25.00-28.50.

Bulls - Good and Choice Commercial $32.00-33.75; Standard to Good $30.00-31.50; Utility to Standard $23.00-28.00.

Cows - High Yearling Commercial $22.50-23.85; Cutters $21.00-22.00; Canners Low Cutters $18.00-20.50; Shells $12.00-17.50.

CALVES 139 Calves - Choice and Prime $55.00-60.00; Good and Choice $50.00-54.00; Standard and Good $40.00-47.00; Utility to Good 110-140 lbs. $30.00-39.50; Utility 90-110 lbs. $25.00-28.45; Culls - $12.00-22.00.

HOGS 382 Hogs - U.S. No. 1 and 2, 190-220 lbs. $39.75-40.25; U.S. No. 1 and 3, 190-230 lbs. $39.25-39.50; U.S. No. 1 and 3, 180-250 lbs. $38.00-39.10.

Sows - 250-375 lbs. $33.00-35.00; 400-500 lbs. $30.00-32.50.

Boars - 300-500 lbs. $25.00-26.00.

SHEEP 39 Lambs - Good to Choice $35.00-80.00; Medium and Good $30.00-34.00.

Ewes - $5.00-14.00.

Private Treaty Fat Hogs, Select No. 1 and 2, 200-215 lbs. $39.50-40.00; Private Treaty Fat Hogs, No. 1 and 2, 190-220 lbs. $39.00-39.25; Private Treaty Fat Hogs, No. 1 and 3, 190-220 lbs. $38.50-38.75.

Farm Equipment
Clarence Givens
Dauphin Co.
March 22, 1975

Highlights of the sale included: Farmall 300 Tractor $1600; AC with loader $785; Super C 800 Farmall $800; New Holland rake $910; MC chopper $875; Oliver 66 tractor $700; corn $61 and $64 per ton. Ewes with lambs $55. Rufus Geib and Raymond Miller, auctioneers.

Farm Equipment
Paul Z. Martin
Blue Ball, Pa.
March 26, 1975

Highlights of the annual sale included: Ferguson 35 tractor $1300; Ford Jubillee $980; Hesston haybine $1200; New Holland baler $900; Garden tractor $288 and Ford flail mower $500 assortment of building materials and supplies $12,000. Martin Auctioneers and Associates.

Farm Equipment
David Gish
Palmyra, PA
March 26, 1975

An attendance of over 200 people were present for Wednesday's sale. Highlights included: Oliver 1855 diesel tractor with cab $11,300; Oliver 1800 diesel $6000; Massey Ferguson Super 90 diesel $4000; JD 2020 with loader $4900; Farmall Super C tractor $625; Cockshutt 40 tractor $675; JD 6-row corn planter with monitor $3600; JD 14 T baler with thrower $1010; 12 ft. Brillion cultimulcher $1800; gravity bins on chassis $560 and $570; flatbed wagon with dump $845 and field sprayer $750. John E. and Paul E. Martin, Auctioneers.

Yorkshire Invitational Sale
Lebanon Co.
Fairgrounds
March 22, 1975

Saturday's sale saw 59 head of Yorkshires being offered on the block. The grand champion bred gilt which was shown by Leon Arnold, sold for $370 to Larry Arnold of Lebanon. The reserve champion bred gilt also shown by Leon Arnold sold to E. Joe Fairs from Millville for $320. The average for 17 bred gilts was $317.65.

In the single open gilt class the grand champion was shown by Leon Arnold and sold to James Martin of Schaghticoke, New York for $280 while the reserve animal shown by Tom Arnold sold to John S. Martin of Smithsburg, Md., for $250. The average for the 13 open gilts was $187.31.

Craig Miller of Spring Grove exhibited the champion litter pair which sold to Crist Hess and Sons of Pequea for $360; the reserve litter pair consigned by Leon Arnold sold to J. Kevin Rohrer of Manheim for $420. Eight pairs of litter mates sold for an average of $371.25.

The champion Yorkshire boar which was consigned by Leon Arnold sold to Elwood Houser of Lebanon for $450 while the reserve animals exhibited by Reno Thomas sold to Irvin Hatter of Pitnam for $360. The average for 13 boars was $282.69.

Over 100 buyers were in attendance with the total selling figure recorded at $15,000.

Danville Cattle Co.
Danville, Pa.
March 24, 1975

Feeder steers: good to choice 28.00-31.00; standard to good 22.00-26.00; cows: choice to prime 23.00-24.25; good to standard 21.00-23.00; utility 19.50-20.50 and cutters 16.00-18.00. Calves: high to choice 60-64; good to choice 40-56.

Hogs: 39.10-41.60; sows 35.00-37.50; boars 24.00-26.00.

Dairy Dispersal
H. Richard Heisey
Lititz, Pa.
March 21, 1975

A large crowd attended the sale which saw 55 head go on the block for auction. The top selling cow (three-year-old) sold for $1900; baby heifer calf $300; four-year-old cow $1225 and the average for the 54 head was $672. Corn sold up to $74 per ton. Carl Diller and J. Everett Kreider, auctioneers.

Farm Equipment
S. Harvey Kulp
Pottstown, PA
March 18, 1975

Highlights of the sale included many pieces of farm machinery and equipment. JD 630 tractor $24,300; JD 4020 tractor $9800; JD 3020 tractor $6200; JD Harvester $19,900; JD four forage wagons from $500-$2750; New Holland Haybine $2425; New Holland flail manure spreader $2000; Oliver harrow $720; JD grinder-mixer $1800; Mustang Skid loader $3450; JD 55 combine $8300; 2 hay wagons $650; JD baler $3150; JD corn planter $3510; Chevy C dump truck $6800; 1969 Chevy pickup $1875; 20 x 17 Harvestore $14,125; two 20 x 60 Ficis silos $2050 and $1750 and high moisture corn at $21 per ton. J. Everett Kreider and Carl Diller, auctioneers.

Broken Bit 4-H Club

The monthly meeting of the Broken Bit 4-H Horse Club was held at the home of Jane and Martha Gregory. President, Natalie Immel presided over the business meeting. Alida Farrington and Jacie Meckley were welcomed into the club. The club was the recipient of the second place award at the 4-H Expo at Park City. Jane Gregory gave a county council report.

On May 25 the club's annual horse show will be held at Friendly Horsemen's Show Grounds in Denver. Approximately 22 classes will be held for the Western, English and racing events. Championships will be given in the children, adult and racing divisions. A spring trail ride will be held on April 6.

Dr. Jeff Edelson, a veterinarian from Manheim spoke to the group about parasites in horses.

The next meeting will be at the home of Rick Buckwalter on April 18.

News Reporter
Jane Gregory

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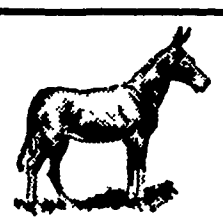
Joining the company as a junior service parts planner in 1967, he was promoted to service parts planner one year later. He became a cataloger in 1969 and was named to his most recent position in 1972.

A native of Lancaster County, Mellinger is a graduate of Garden Spot High School.



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